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Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and Credits of AMBARAM VISHNURAM, late of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, deceased.

BAI DHANCOREBAI, widow of the said deceased.... Petitioner.

ALL PERSONS claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed Deceased, are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings, if they think fit, before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness, HENRY JAMES PARSONS, Esquire, Acting Chief Justice at Bombay, aforesaid, the 8th day of July, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-eight, and in the Sixty-first year of our Reign.

L. N. BANAJI, Registrar.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

INTEREST WARRANTS for the HALF-YEAR ending 30th June, 1898, have THIS DAY been POSTED.

G. A. BARNETT,
Agent.

Victoria Terminus, Bombay, 14th July, 1898.

BANK OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Bank will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 21st instant, to Thursday, the 4th proximo, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
JAS. H. SLEIGH,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bombay, July 7th, 1898.

BANK OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND for the half-year ended 30th June last, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, and a bonus of 2 per cent. per annum, both free from Income Tax, will be payable on application on and after MONDAY, the 25th instant, to registered Shareholders on 30th June, 1898.

By Order of the Board,
JAS. H. SLEIGH,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bombay, July 7th, 1898.

BANK OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRTY-FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Bank of Bombay will be held at the Bank on THURSDAY, the 4th proximo, at 4 P.M., for the following objects :—

1. To receive the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts up to 30th ultimo.
2. To elect Directors for the ensuing year in room of Mr. F. C. Macrae and Mr. Ahmedbhoy Hubibbhoy, who retire by rotation but are eligible for re-election.
3. To elect Auditors for the ensuing year and to fix their remuneration.

By Order of the Board,
JAS. H. SLEIGH,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bombay, July 7th, 1898.

ESTATE BRIGADE SURGEON-LIEUTENANT COLONEL ARCHIBALD CAMERON, DECEASED.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 42 ACT XXVII OF 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having CLAIMS against the late ARCHIBALD CAMERON, Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel, Indian Medical Service, who died in London, on the 1st August, 1896, Letters of Administration to whose Estate have been granted to PERCEVAL RICHARD WILSON, a Member of the Firm of Messrs. GRINDLAY, GROOM and Co., of Bombay, are requested to send in the same within one month from this date to the said Messrs. GRINDLAY, GROOM and Co., Bombay, after which date the said Administrator will proceed to administer the assets, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice, and no claim sent in subsequently will be recognised, and all persons indebted to or holding any Securities or Property belonging to the said Estate are also hereby requested to pay without delay the amount owing by them, or deliver the said securities or property to the said administrator, whose receipt alone is valid for the same.

P. R. WILSON,
Administrator to Estate.

Bombay, 6th July, 1898.

LIST of ESTATES to which Letters of Administration have been granted by the Administrator-General, Bombay, and of Estates which have come under his charge :—

CUTHBERT ANTHONY FRASER, late District Superintendent of Police, Amraoti District.
EDULJEE JEHANGHEER DUBASH alias Parak, late of Bombay, Parsee Inhabitant.
MADHAORAO VISHNU FADKE, late of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant.
KATE VOKINS, late Lady Superintendent of H. H. the Maharani's Girls' School, Mysore.
KASHIBAI, late of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant.
MOTHABHOY GANPAT, late of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant.
DAVID CHRISTIE, late European Foreman in the employ of Messrs. Richardson and Cruddas, Bombay.
PANDURANG XABLO COLLOPO alias BISSUE, late of Goa, Hindu Inhabitant.

All persons having claims against, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the abovenamed estates are hereby requested to state their claims, pay their debts and hand over such property to the undersigned forthwith. All claims must be sent to the undersigned at his Office within one month from the date of this advertisement. At the expiration of the said period the assets of the estates will be distributed and claims received after that period will not be recognised.

L. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Administrator General.

Administrator General's Office, High Court, Bombay, 9th July, 1898.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.
SUIT No. 121 OF 1897.

VASSANJEE MUNJEE, of Bombay, Hindoo Inhabitant, residing at Girgaum Back Road, outside the Fort.....Plaintiff.

VERSUS.

RAGHUNATH MUKUND, of Bombay, Hindoo Inhabitant, residing at Khetwady, outside the Fort .....Defendant.

PURSUANT to the Decree made in the above Suit and bearing date the [illegible] day of September, 1897, the following immoveable properties will be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, by the Commissioner of this Honorable Court, at his Office, in the Court House, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of August, 1898, at the hour of Twelve o'clock in the afternoon.

PARTICULARS,

All the estate, right, title and interest of the abovenamed Plaintiff and Defendant in the following properties, viz. :—

LOT No. 1.

All that piece or parcel of land forming portion of Survey No. 86, together with Gymkhana Hotel Bungalow and out houses standing thereon, situate at Lanowli Taluka, Maval, Poona Zilla, bounded as follows,—On the East and North by the property of Rastomjee Sorabjee Kharas ; on the South by the property of Dinshaw Shapurjee Dallas, on the West by the portion of plot Nos. 35 and 36 hereinafter described, which premises are now in the occupation of the Defendant Raghunath Makund and his tenants.

LOT No. 2.

All that piece or parcel of land forming portion of Survey No. 86 and known as plots 25 and 26, situate at Lanowli Taluka, Maval, Poona Zilla, bounded as follows :—On the East and South by the premises belonging to the said defendant hereinbefore, firstly described, on the West by the pasture land beyond it by the property of Rastomjee Sorabjee Kharas, on the North by the property of Dinsha Shapoorji Dallas, which premises are now in the possession of the defendant Raghunath Mukund.

LOT No. 3.

All that piece or parcel of Inam land forming portion of Survey No. 38, measuring East to West 86 feet in length, and North to South 831 feet in breath, being 10 Acres in area, situate at Turgarli, Maval Taluka, Vadgaon Tukdi, Poona Zillah, and bounded as follows :—On the East, South and West by the property of Dhodadjie Guru Arjungir Gosawi, and on the North by the property of Chinta Gangadhar Vaidyan, together with the Survey No. 1225 fees, on the South side therefore, which premises were formerly in the possession of Robert Frederick and William Frederick, and now of the defendant Raghunath Mukund.

LOT No. 4.

All that piece or parcel of land being survey No. 5, containing by admeasurement 6171 square yards, situate on the West side of the Lanowli bazaar Road, at Lanowli Taluka, Maval Tukdi, Vadgaon Zillah, Poona, with the bungalow and out houses standing thereon bearing Municipal No. and bounded on the East by the property of the Railway Company, on the West by the property of Temuljee Shett, North by the Bazaar Road, South by the property of Sadoba Patel, which premises formerly were in the occupation of Robert Frederick, and now of the defendant Raghunath Makund.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application should be made at the office of the said Commissioner, or at the office of Mr. MADHAVJI VIRJI, Attorney for the Plaintiff abovenamed, at No. 67, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay. Dated this 18th day of June, 1898.

G. H. FARRAN,
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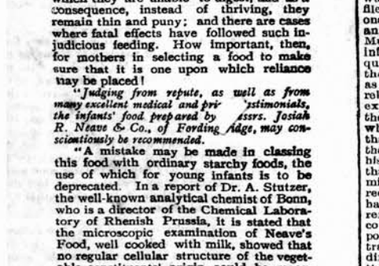

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BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Sun rises, 5h. 31m. Sun sets, 6h. 40m. High water, 10-34m., 9-55s. Low water, 3-10m., 4-15s.

Cinderella Dance, B. V. A. Club Rooms, Apollo Bundar, 9 p.m.

Lad Mandal Meeting, Lad Mandal, Zaver Baug, 8-30 p.m.

CRICKET.

Bombay Gymkhana vs. Hindu Gymkhana, 1-30 p.m.
Parsee Gymkhana vs. Elphinstone College Gymkhana.
Elphinstone Cricket Club vs. R. I. M. Cricket Club.
B. B. and C. I. Railway, 1st XI vs. Islam Gymkhana.

TO-MORROW.

Sun rises, 5h. 32m. Sun sets, 6h. 40m. High water, 11-5m., 10-39s. Low water, 3-49m., 4-54s.
P. and O. s. s. Socotra (extra) due to arrive.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The steamer Mobile left the dock on Thursday.

VICTORIA DOCK.—The steamers Pemba and Peshawar entered the dock on Thursday, and the steamer Arabia yesterday, and the steamers Egypt and Dumra left it yesterday.

GUN CLUB.—The Gun Club will meet, at Love Grove, Worlee, 4 p.m., (weather permitting).

CRICKET.—A cricket match will be played on the Cooperage between a selected team of the Victoria Parsee Swimming Bath and the Albert Cricket Club on Sunday, at 2 p.m., sharp.

LEGAL.—Messrs. Edgelow and Gulabchand have admitted Mr. D. F. Wadia, solicitor, as a partner in their firm, which will now be carried on in the name of Edgelow, Gulabchand and Wadia.

PARSEE CYCLING CLUB.—Members meet on Sunday the 17th and 24th instant, at Sir R. Temple's statue at 6 a.m. and at Hornby Villard at 6-30 a.m., weather permitting, for cycle runs.

REPORTED THEFT AT COLABA.—Mr. Naville residing at Upper Colaba has reported to the Police the theft of a silver watch together with a gold chain of the agregate value of Rs. 80 from his box.

HIGH COURT.—Mr. Justice Candy having returned by yesterday's mail steamer, sat, and will continue to sit, on the Original Side of the High Court. Mr. Justice Fulton will sit on the Appellate Side with the Chief Justice.

HINDU CRICKET.—The following team will represent the Hindu Gymkhana against the Bombay Gymkhana to-day :—Messrs. L. B. Palker, L. S. Bhandare, G. R. Kirtiker, V. R. Agasker, G. V. Mothe, S. R. Shirgaokar, N. B. Dadorkar, N.G. Jalker, W. L. Masurker, N. E. Khote, and B. P. Kale.

ARYAN SOCIAL UNION.—Under the auspices of this Union Shashtri Narhari Vishnoo Gosike will deliver a lecture on "Our religious Leaders" and their "Yoga Nidra" at the Mooljt Jetha Cloth Market Hall at 5-30 p.m., this day when Mr. G. M. Tripathi B. A., L. L. B. will preside. The lecture is open to all.

BURGLARY AT BAZAAR GATE STREET.—Jamsetji Framji, a Parsee, who keeps his shop at Parsee Bazaar Street, complained to the police that some time during the night of the 14th instant, his place was broken into through a window on the first floor, a cash box forced open and currency notes, cash and gold ornaments of the collective value of Rs. 3,300 abstracted therefrom. The thieves left behind a couple of umbrellas.

FALL OFF A WINDOW.—S. M. Goonjiram, a Hindu lad, aged six years, residing with his parents on the third floor of No. 1, Dhanji Street, Mandvi Road, on Thursday afternoon playing with other children near a window in the room, when he accidentally fell out on to the road below, a distance of about forty feet, sustaining a dislocation of the left hip joint and some contused wounds. The injured lad was removed to the J. J. Hospital, where he is now being treated.

KIDNAPPING AND ROBBERY.—At the Esplanade Police Court, before Mr. J. Sanders Slater, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Chunilal Atmaram was charged with kidnapping a boy, named Maganlal, under 10 years of age, and robbing him of gold finger rings of the value of Rs. 8. It appeared that the boy was playing in Kumbharwada street on Wednesday last, when the accused gave him a pice and induced him to accompany him to a secluded place, where he deprived him of the gold rings. Subsequently on the matter being reported to the police, the accused was arrested. The accused, against whom there was a previous conviction, was committed to the next criminal sessions.

ARRIVAL.—Among the arrivals by yesterday's mail was Mr. Hirabhai, the son of Diwan Bahadur Manbhukhabhai Jasbhai. Mr. Hirabhai is studying at Cambridge for the Law Tripos, and is also a member of the Middle Temple. He has come home to pass his vacation here. There were many notable gentlemen present to welcome Mr. Hirabhai. Prominent among those present were Diwan Bahadur Manbhai Jasbhai ; Mr. Manekbhai Jasbhai ; Sheth Narottamdas Morarji Gokkaldas ; Sheth Bhika Cullian ; Sheth Jivabhai ; Messrs. Ambatrao, Keshavlal Ghodi, Vaikunthrai Ambalal Desai, and Krishnarao Desai. Sheth Hirjibhai garlanded Mr. Hirabhai, and the party then drove of to Church Gate. Mr. Hirabhai will stay at Andheri in the Diwan Bahadur's bungalow there.

ENGLISH AND GUJARATI DICTIONARY.—A stupendous task was undertaken some fifty years ago by Messrs. Jhoon Jhoon Kessoo Jhoon and Nanabhai Rustamji Ranina, both old Elphinstonians, to compile a dictionary of English words with their rendering into Gujarati, to be issued in convenient parts. The letter S. has been reached, and it is calculated by the survivor and compiler that to complete the lexicon, it will take another period of two to three years. However long the delay, the work reflects the greatest credit upon the authors for the scrupulous care with which it has been done, and the pains taken explained in its various applications. To many of the young students as well as to ordinary readers the work will commend itself, for its usefulness cannot be too strongly advocated. The phrases in which such words as solar, solar, sponging, stocking, spirit, stomach, stage, sop, solar, &c., are used in a variety of ways, are given and their full and comprehensive significations are illustrated, which impress the student with the idea that the author spared neither pains nor much labour in their arduous task. Mr. Moos being now dead, the sole charge of the book has fallen on the surviving compiler, Mr. N. R. Ranina, who evidently has a good opportunity of his time in the compilation into which he has thrown his heart and soul, and which will stand as a monument of his skill and vernacular acquirements. When the work of literal translation was undertaken, the authors hoped to have completed it in ten parts of 100 pages each ; yet though the XII part has been published, reaching 1200 pages, they have come to the word "Surmount." It must be said that within the last forty years many words have been coined to represent the various aspects of science, arts, literature and general progressive knowledge, that the bulk of the volume has naturally swelled beyond their expectations.

A [FALSE CASE : THE COMPLAINANT FINED.—Yesterday at the Esplanade Police Court, Mr. J. Sanders Slater, Chief Presidency Magistrate, disposed of three cases in which one Mr. Molloy charged Mr. Colson with committing adultery with the complainant's wife, Mr. Murzban, barrister-at-law, prosecuted ; while Mr. De Souza, pleader, defended. The magistrate held that the evidence of the complainants had been directly contradicted by his only witness Constable Patterson, who, the court believed, had told the truth in the matter. The accused was discharged. Mr. De Souza applied for compensation to his client under section 250 of the Criminal Procedure Code, on the ground that the complaint was false and vexatious and that the accused, who was arrested in his office under a warrant obtained on the strength of the information filed by the complainant and kept in the lock-up for one night, was entitled to some recompense for the annoyance and trouble he had undergone. Mr. Murzban replied that before drawing up the information he personally went and made inquiries of Constable Patterson, who assured him that Mr. Molloy and Mr. Colson were living as man and wife, and that Mr. Murzban could rely on him as a witness in the case. Mr. Murzban expressed his readiness to the court to go into the cross-box and swear to the truth of what he had stated. Constable Patterson explained that Mr. Murzban having asked his opinion, he said they lived as man and wife. He had told the truth in his evidence. That was all. Mr. Murzban rejoined that that was not all ; he was in the witness box minutes, and had it not been for the assurance he had received from the constable, he was not a lunatic to have filed an information like that. The magistrate remarked that it was not only on one point that the complainant had told an untruth. There were several points besides, in which he had been directly contradicted. Under the circumstances his worship directed that Rs. 50 should be paid to the accused by the complainant.

ALLEGED FORGERY AND DEFAMATION

AT the Mazagon Police Court, yesterday, Mr. Webb, Acting Second Presidency Magistrate resumed the hearing of the case, in which Mr. Shewakshah H. Billimoria, a broker, charges Mr. Khoorshedji D. Bolton of Messrs. Bolton and Co., Merchants, with using a forged document and defamation. Mr. Raikes, barrister-at-law, instructed by Messrs. Little & Co., solicitors appeared for the complainant and Mr. Dinshaw D. Davur, barrister-at-law, instructed by Mr. Velinker defended the accused. The facts of the case have already been reported. Cross-examined by Mr. Davur, the complainant stated that he was sued in the High Court by one Merwanji, in which he (complainant) had made a statement that money claimed in that suit was on a waggering transaction and the case was withdrawn by the other side. Complainant was induced by his uncle and another to withdraw the allegations, although they were true. Witness admitted that he was in the habit of signing in two ways. He formely used to write letters S. and H. in different ways, but not now.

At this stage Mr. Davur claimed to reserve the further cross-examination of the complainant in accordance with Section 266 of the Amended Code. Mr. Raikes opposed the application on the ground that the prosecution was not ready with other witnesses. After some discussions Mr. Davar declared the cross-examination of the witness closed.

Re-examined by Mr. Raikes complainant stated that he owed no money to other persons in the bazaar with the exception of Rustomji, Meherwanji and Kasturchund. If a broker became a defaulter his card in the bazaar was not renewed. The card cost a thousand rupees and if a broker became a defaulter, his card was sold and the sale proceeds were divided amongst his creditors.

The further hearing was adjourned to 27th instant.

THE Copenhagen correspondent of a contemporary gives some interesting information on the subject of matches. A medical man, who is a sanitary officer to the Government, and with whom he discussed the question the other day, told him once when he spent his holidays at the seaside, one of his children, a little boy of four or five years old, was suddenly taken ill. The boy came round again, but the father was unable to account for the illness until the little fellow gave one of his brothers the sound advice : "Don't eat matches—they are nasty!" Surely, that doctor would have had a son less in his family if the old white phosphorous matches had still been in use in Denmark at the time.

HIGH COURT.—APPELLATE SIDE.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. JUSTICE PARSONS and the Hon. Mr. JUSTICE RANADE.)

A GIRL MURDERED FOR HER ORNAMENTS.

IMPERATRIX *vs.* MALLYA, SON OF SANNA TANGI.

THIS was an appeal from a decision of Mr. F. C. D. Beaman, Sessions Judge of Belgaum, who, in June last, convicted the accused of murder and sentenced him to death.

The accused, a Mang shoemaker, was charged with the murder of Padmawa, daughter of one Rayappa Bhojanna, by inflicting incised wounds on her neck on the 20th May last. The deceased Padmawa, eleven years of age, left her father's house at 8 a.m., on the 20th May to proceed to the adjoining village of Alharvad to fetch curds. She had on her person some silver ornaments at the time. She was murdered on the road, and her dead body was discovered about noon the same day. There were incised wounds on her neck. The accused confessed that he murdered the girl, and removed the ornaments on her person, and buried them underneath an earthen chatty. He pointed out the place and took out the ornaments from the chatty. He stated that he pierced the girl with his awl, which he also produced. The ornaments had been identified as the deceased's. The accused's mistress Kari stated that, on the evening of the day on which the murdar took place, he sent her to the village to ascertain what the people said about the murder, and on her informing him that he was suspected, he left the house, and she did not see him again until the morning he was brought to her place by the police. A witness stated that, about the time of the murder, he saw the accused running from the direction of the place of murder ; and another stated that he saw the accused following the deceased at a distance of fifty yards. The Sessions Judge was of opinion upon the evidence that there was no doubt the girl was murdered, and that robbery was the motive. It was proved that the accused was seen in close proximity to the girl where she was last seen alive, and that the prisoner was seen running away from the scene of the murder soon after it must have been committed. The evidence of the prisoner's mistress if true, was most damaging. The jury unanimously found the prisoner guilty of murder, and the Sessions Judge sentenced him to death.

Their lordships, on consideration of the evidence, rejected the appeal and confirmed the sentence of death.

A BOY MURDERED FOR HIS ORNAMENTS.

INPERATRIX *vs.* NAGAPPA 'BIN GANAPPA AND TWO OTHERS.

THIS was an appeal from a decision of Mr. H. L. Harvey, Sessions Judge of Kanara, who, in June last, convicted the accused of murder and sentenced Nos. 1 and 3 to transportation for life, and No. 2 to death. Mr. Idgunji appeared for the accused ; and the Government Pleader for the Crown.

The three accused were charged with the murder of a boy named Mangesh by seizing his hands and neck and squeezing the neck so forcibly as to cause his death on the 11th May last. The boy was about ten years of age. The accused strangled him, took four gold bracelets worn by him ; threw the body into a well ; and then concealed the ornaments under some fire wood in a room situated on the house in which accused No. 1 lived. Accused No. 1 and 2 pleaded guilty, and were convicted on their own plea and sentenced. Accused No. 3 admitted that he took part in the murder, but had no intention of killing the boy, and that he merely held his hands, because the other two accused forced him by threats to do so. It appeared that the murdered boy lived with his grandparents and attended school. The accused No. 1 promised him a mango, and told him to come to the garden near the house and fetch it after dark. His grandmother advised him not to go ; but he said accused No. 1 had said that he would get him a mango. He did not return home, and a report was made to the police. The three accused made a confession and pointed out where they had concealed the ornaments. The Sessions Judge found that the third accused was a party to a pre-arranged plan to murder the boy ; and he was convicted of the offence. No. 1 was convicted of murder ; and so was No. 2, who was sentenced to death, while Nos. 1 and 3 were sentenced to transportation for life.

Their lordships dismissed the appeal and confirmed the sentence of death passed upon accused No. 2, Masti bin Koltura.

THE INDIAN TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION

A PUBLIC meeting under the auspices of the Indian Temperance Association was held on Wednesday evening in the Hall of the Money School, when Mr. D. D. Gilder, one of the Joint Honorary Secretaries, gave an address on "The History of the Drink Traffic in India with special reference to Local Option." Looking to the unfavourable state of the weather there was a fairly good attendance of members and the general public.

The lecturer began by saying that he would not mention anything for or against the use of intoxicating drinks as beverages, but would simply trace the history of the traffic in drink from early times and show from Government despatches the privileges that had been granted to the people of India by the Secretary of State and the imperial and local Governments. He said that drink was not unknown to the people of India either in the ancient times or those preceding the advent of the Moslem rule in India, but the traffic was regulated for police purposes and not for those of revenue, as the low taxes in the Mogul and Maratha periods showed. Referring to toddy he said that it was the bad policy to place that beverage on a ban, for it was a healthy drink as admitted by the Excise Commissioner of Madras before the Hemp Drugs Commission. The alarming increase of consumption of intoxicating drinks of late was the principal reason for the Anglo-Indian Temperance Association in 1888. The president of the Association, Mr. Samuel Smith, M. P., carried through the House of Commons on the 30th April 1889, a Resolution which was, as admitted by Sir Richard Temple and Sir James Fergusson, practically a vote of censure upon the Indian Government for their excise policy. The latter, in defence, issued a bulky volume of about 400 pages. The lecturer then quoted extracts from this Government of India's despatch, No. 29 of 4th February 1890, which declared the general policy to be followed in the excise administration of India, and practically the machinery for carrying out that policy. The Government of India had subsequently issued a circular letter to the various local Governments, inviting them to follow the lead of Bengal, the Lieutenant-Governor of which province had recommended that no liquor shops should be allowed to be opened in places of public resort, which by the way would not be appreciated by those who advocated that afternoon in the Bombay Legislative Council that the opening of a Liquor shop in the Victoria Gardens. In the North-West Provinces the Government had recommended the opening of only one shop to 5000 population. At that rate Bombay city should have about 154 shops, whereas there were 736, or including the new 71 temporary licenses, 801, i. e. nearly five times as many ; in other words Bombay which boasted to be the first city in India stood in the first rank of drunken cities. The lecturer urged his hearers to hold district meetings in various parts of the town and pass resolutions for greater publicity being given to all applications for opening new liquor shops, transferring old ones or extending the hours of sale. The lecturer concluded by saying that the people of India should thank God they had been placed under the British Government, which though not bound to its subjects by any community of race or religion, yet gave them greater liberty than they enjoyed under the various peoples of Europe living under their own Governments.

The proceedings terminated with the usual compliments to the lecturer and the chairman.

HIGH COURT.—JULY 16.

Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice B. TYABJEE.
Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Postponed Long Causes.

51-98—Jehangir and Pestonjee Cursetjee Parkh *vs* Manekjee Doosabhoy Watcha—Ardesir H and D Part heard.

519-96—Payne G and S—Jacob Elias Sassoon and others *vs* Dossabhoy Thakersey and others—Craigie L and O. and Bhaishunker and K—Not to be called on till Monday next.

663-96—F P Pavri—Mahomed Sab Valad Yasni Sab and others *vs* Shaik Fateh Mohomed Valad Shaik Bahadur and others—Framjee and D, and J C Gama

123-97—Payne G and S—Visram Raisi and others *vs* The Hon Mr Fazulbhoy Visram and another— Crawford B and Co

100-97—Shamrao P—Azambukali Naikin *vs* Fanzambukah Naikin—Edgelow and G

127-97—Crawford B and Co—The B B and C I Ry Co *vs* Khandevlal Mohorajee.

Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice CANDY.

For disposal of certain questions.

241-93—Little and Co—Poonja Valji and others *vs* Mithibai —Payne Gend S and Tyabjee D and Co.

Postponed Long Causes.

39-99—Crawford B and Co—The Bombay Co Ld *vs* Nasmyth Wilson and Co Ld—Craigie L and O.

657-96—Manekchand J and J—Hirabai W G Rivett Carnac *vs* Murarjee Cuillanjee and others—Crawford B and Co

514-95—Dhanji and Khimji—Ramji *vs* Hafabai and others—Payne G and S and Little and Co

227-97—Bhaishunker and K—Khatow Mohanji *vs* Ramji Mohanji—Payne G and S

520-97—In person—Jeewa Dewjee *vs* Charles Agnew Turner.

136-97—Dikshit and D—Govindji Thakurcy Mooljee and another *vs* Purbhenkhiker Sooraljeshunker and others—Thackurdas D and C.

142-97—Muljee and R—Ladkibai *vs* Hemchand Luckmichand and others—Wadia and G.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

SQUADRON ORDERS.

Bombay, 15th July, 1898.

There will be shooting at Colaba, this afternoon, Saturday, weather permitting, from 4 p.m.

T. W. CUFFE, Capt.,
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BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY MAJOR G. W. ROUGHTON, A.D.C., COMMANDING B. V. A

Bombay, 16th July, 1898.

1. The signalling class will parade in front of the High Court, on Tuesday and Thursday next the 19th and 21st inst., at 7 a.m., punctually. Members who wish to join the Class will parade on Tuesday the 19th inst., at 7 a.m., after which no one will be permitted to join.

By Order
L. PENNY, Lieut.,
Acting Adjutant, B. V. A.

NOTICE.

There will be a Cinderella Dance at the Club Rooms, Apollo Bunder, to-day (Saturday), at 9 p.m. Tickets as usual.

HOME REMITTANCES.

THE following is the Weekly Memorandum of Remittances to the Home Treasury by means of Council Bills of the 12th July, 1898 :—

	£
Amount to be remitted during 1898-99.....	16,000,000
Remitted from 1st April 1898 to 9th July, 1898	5,848,500
Balance to be remitted from 10th July 1898 to 31st March 1899	10,151,500

THE wedding of the German Empress's brother, Duke Ernst Gunther of Schleswig-Holstein and Princess Dorothea of Coburg is to take place on the 2nd of August in the Catholic Church of Coburg. This fact (says a Berlin Correspondent) has given rise to the rumour that the Duke had been compelled to give the promise demanded by the Catholic Church in such cases, that the children would be brought up in the Catholic faith. These rumours are evidently unfounded, for, apart from the fact that the head of a Protestant princely house, as the Duke is, and the brother of the German Empress, would never give such a promise of his own accord. It is even expressly forbidden to Prussian officers to do so.

THE WEATHER.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

	Byculla.		Esplade.		Fort.		Colaba.	
	In.	Cts.	In.	Cts.	In.	Cts.	In.	Cts.
Previously registered.....	23	58	35	43	35	84	33	57
Friday, July 15th	0	81	0	40	0	68	0	52
Total.....	24	39	35	83	36	53	34	9
Total fall to July 15th, 1897	24	21	23	43	25	66	25	44
Total fall to July 15th, 1896	43	43	42	30	44	90	44	13

MATHERAN.

	In.	Cts.
Previously Registered	66	66
On the 13th July 1898.....	8	13
Total.....	74	84

DAMAUN.

	In.	Cts.
Previously registered	15	27
On Wednesday, the 13th July.....	0	36
Total.....	15	63
Total fall up to 13th July 1897.....	5	85
Do. up to 13th July 1896.....	9	26

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 A.M. ON FRIDAY, THE 15TH OF JULY, 1898.

Rainfall at Byculla and Fort registered from 6 p.m. to 6 p.m.; at the Esplanade from 8 a.m. to 8 a.m.; and at Colaba from 6 a.m. to 6 a.m.

1. The barometric readings are corrected to Calicut standard, reduced to the same temperature M° and also to the sea level and corrected to the constant gravity of 32.15.

2. The 2nd column under the head 'Wind' gives the average motion of the air in miles per hour during the past 24 hours, and is obtained by dividing the total number of miles of wind registered by an anemometer during the previous 24 hours by 24.

3. The temperatures given in the table are of the air in the shade or in a small shed with open sides and a thatched or straw roof. The maximum (max.) and minimum (min.) temperatures are the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours preceding 8 a. m.

4. The humidity is given as a percentage expressing ratios of the actual amount of moisture in the air to the amount required to saturate it.

Stations.	Pressure, 8 A.M.	Wind. Direction.	Wind. Rate per hour.	Temperature in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours.	Temperature in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours.	Humidity, 8 A.M.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours.	Rainfall. Since 1st June, to date.	Variation, 1st June to date.
Lahore	29·467	Calm	1	91°8	67°1	78	...	9·46	+4·33
Simla	29·462	W	16	79°3	51°4	62	0·65	1·35	-2·01
Delhi	29·466	WNW	3	95·2	63·5	67	...	1·24	-0·84
Agra	29·481	SW	4	93·0	61·4	79	...	2·48	-0·04
Cawnpore	29·473	WSW	8	95·3	73·3	95	0·49	9·69	...
Allahabad	29·463	W	4	87·1	69·3	91	1·11	12·95	+1·88
Jhansi	29·542	SW	3	91·1	77·7	87	0·28	10·83	-0·62
Jacobabad	29·473	SSE	2	100·1	80·3	51	...	0·36	-0·56
Karachi	29·576	WSW	14	92·2	81·5	72	...	0·37	-1·91
Jeypore	29·516	WSW	5	92·6	76·8	77	0·02	3·69	-3·53
Ajmere	29·485	W	10	93·9	77·5	84	0·02	0·91	-2·51
Deesa	29·608	W	13	93·3	77·5	83	...	7·93	+1·06
Ahmedabad	29·635	WSW	2	92·7	78·6	74	...	10·13	...
Bhuj	29·608	W	2	93·4	78·0	74	...	2·99	-1·23
Rajkot	29·613	W	4	98·4	78·6	74	...	4·02	-3·06
Ghadchi	29·641	SW	15	96·6	78·8	74	...	13·13	...
Veraval	29·657	W	15	86·0	78·0	88	...	17·41	...
Neemuch	29·604	WSW	5	83·8	74·1	87	1·30	8·61	...
Indore	29·619	W	6	87·7	73·6	87	...	14·79	+3·71
Mhow	29·621	W	6	87·7	74·6	91	2·87	31·32	+16·67
Jubulpore	29·580	WSW	7	78·4	74·6	91	1·48	22·21	+3·89
Hoshangabad	29·612	WSW	3	83·2	75·7	95	0·94	27·16	+11·36
Khandwa	29·648	WNW	13	86·7	77·0	78	...	10·78	+0·37
Raipur	29·608	W	8	89·2	73·6	93	...	12·24	-4·16
Nagpur	29·610	WSW	11	87·3	73·1	62	0·01	17·41	-4·34
Amroti	29·651	WNW	14	86·1	74·8	82	...	11·47	-1·31
Akola	29·633	NW	13	89·5	74·7	74	0·01	7·26	-3·90
Surat	29·610	SW	9	90·6	80·1	74	...	15·18	+4·33
Malegaon	29·665	W	15	87·4	75·1	66	0·37	5·28	-2·11
Bombay	29·711	WNW	15	84·3	77·6	87	0·38	37·84	-2·61
Poona	29·740	WSW	13	80·6	70·9	91	0·10	7·36	-0·89
Ahmednagar	29·714	WSW	10	84·8	70·4	81	0·16	0·16	...
Aurangabad	29·697	W	6	85·3	70·7	84	...	...	...
Sholapur	29·735	SW	13	86·7	71·5	78	0·69	7·62	+0·46
Satara	29·782	W	13	87·8	71·9	91	0·47	61·91	+14·43
Belgaum	29·798	WSW	23	74·7	69·8	93	1·17	14·17	-4·33
Goa	29·797	NW	11	84·0	77·4	87	0·15	42·84	...
Karwar	29·797	WSW	12	87·0	75·0	78	0·02	69·24	+7·77
Mangalore	29·834	SSE	2	82·3	73·4	96	0·85	75·55	+4·64
Calicut	29·840	Calm	2	82·2	74·0	90	0·33	48·92	+9·04
Cochin	29·849	NNE	1	84·2	74·2	91	0·19	42·39	+7·61
Bangalore	29·803	...	2	81·2	65·8	83	...	3·37	-1·82
Seconderabad	29·769	W	14	86·6	72·0	79	0·08	8·43	+0·29
Masulipatam	29·707	WNW	8	89·0	78·1	79	...	7·65	-0·81
Bellary	29·758	W	11	89·2	75·2	52	0·05	1·39	-1·26
Cuddapah	29·761	W	11	90·1	76·0	58	...	1·21	-1·06
Madras	29·761	WNW	5	95·5	77·0	58	...	3·27	-0·61
Coimbatore	29·821	S	4	89·4	70·1	84	...	0·98	-1·01
Trichinopoly	29·791	W	9	98·1	79·8	59	...	0·08	-2·20
Nagapatam	29·765	SW	8	98·5	81·4	61	...	3·24	+0·50
Colombo	29·743	WSW	13	87·8	79·0	83	...	14·07	+3·41
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SUBJECT:—Sanskrit and the Prakrits.

LECTURER—The Rev. D. MACKICHAN, M.A., D.D. The Lecture is open to the Public.

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BOMBAY MARKET REPORT.

FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 15.

DURING the past week the rainfall in the Cotton-growing districts has been slight to moderate. The enquiry for the staple has on the whole been a small one, and prices are Re. 1 per candy lower for the old and Re. 1 per candy higher for the new crop. In Wheat very little business has been reported; while for seeds there has been a steady but small demand. Exchange has been a firm market, and rates have advanced 1-8d. for Bank, and also 1-8d. for Private Paper. Money has become easier than it was last week, and in consequence the rate of the Bank of Bombay has been lowered by 1 per cent., to 7 per cent. There was a rise in the middle of the week in the quotations for Government Paper, but the advance has since been lost, and rates are given this evening at last week's closing level for 3 1-2 per cents, and nominally 1 per cent. higher for 3 per Cents. Freights are steady with some enquiry for Continental ports. In Imports there has been a feeling of slackness, with a limited enquiry.

MONEY.—As disclosed by the figures of the Bank of Bombay Statement of Affairs issued on Monday there was an addition last week to the cash balance amounting to some 12 lakhs, at nearly 124 lakhs, compared with a falling off in the previous week of 32 lakhs, at some 112 lakhs. In Public Deposits at the Head Office there was a decrease of 2 1-2 lakhs, while at the Branches there was an increase of 3-4 lakh. From Private Deposits there were withdrawals of 6 1-4 lakhs; Loans were 5 lakhs less; and Bills Discounted and purchased, 2 3-4 lakhs. In Government Securities there was a decrease to the extent of about 1 lakh.

There was a reduction made by the Directors of the Presidency Bank, at their meeting yesterday afternoon, in the rate of the Bank, to the extent of 1 per cent, making the minimum 7 per cent. The rate in the open market is 5 per cent.

EXCHANGE.—The market opened with a steady feeling last mail day at 1s. 3 11-16d. for Telegraphic and Demand, for Bank remittance, and 1s. 3 25-32d. for three months' sight Credits. A small amount of Merchants' Bills were reported, after which rates became steadier, and 1s. 3 13-16d. was the best obtainable. On Monday the market continued steady in tone at 1s. 3 11-16d. for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, and 1s. 3 13-16d. for three months' sight Credits, and remained at this level throughout the day. Mercantile Bills were very scarce, and the enquiry for Bank Paper was small. There was a firm feeling in the market on Tuesday with 1s. 3 11-16d. quoted for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, and 1s. 3 13-16d. for three months' sight Credits. Merchants' Bills were sold to a moderate extent; and the enquiry for Bank Paper was small, although a considerable amount of Bank Wire was reported done, partly on account of the bazaar. Rates were given the following day at 1s, 3 23-32d. for Telegraphic and Demand, for Bank remittance, and 1s. 3 27-32d. for three months' sight Credits. Business was on a very small scale, no transactions of importance having been reported either way. The market was firm in tone yesterday at 1s. 3 25-32d. for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, and 1s. 3 15-16d. for three months' sight Credits. A fair amount of Merchants' Bills were offering, and the rate advanced, 1s. 3 27-32d. becoming available for Bank Wire. For Bank Paper there was a small enquiry. Rates opened to-day at 1s. 3 27-32d. for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, and 1s. 3 31-32d. for three months' sight Credits. There was a fair enquiry for Bank Wire on the part of the Bazaar, and rates receded 1-32d. all round. A fair amount of Merchants' Bills were reported; we quote at closing:—

Bank Bills on Demand	1s. 3 13-16d. per rupee.
" Telegraphic	1s. 3 13-16d. "
Credits 3 months' sight	1s. 3 15-16d. "
Francs	174 3-4 "

GOVERNMENT PAPER.—At opening on Saturday last rates were steady at 95 7-8 for both Cash and the Settlement, for 3 1-2 per Cents, and 86 1-2 for 3 per Cents. Rates were firm on Monday at 96 for 3 1-2 per Cents, for Money and Account, and 88, nominal, for Threes. On Tuesday quotations advanced in a steady market to 96 1-8 for Money, for 3 1-2 per Cents, and 96 3-16 for Account; Threes remained at 88. There was a decline in prices on Wednesday to 96 for both Money and Account, for 3 1-2 per Cents; 87 nominal, was quoted for Threes. Yesterday quotations further declined to 95 11-16 for 3 1-2 per Cents, for Money and Account, with 86 1-2 for Threes. The market was firm to-day at 95 3-4 for Cash and Settlement, for 3 1-2 per Cents; 3 per Cents were 1-2 per cent. higher, at 87.

SHARES.—Prices have shown little movement during the week under review, the market being steady but quiet as ever. We have a report an advance of Rs. 30 in Lnckmidas Spinning and Manufacturing; of Rs. 15, in David; of Rs. 5, in Manockjee Petit; and of Rs. 2 1-2, in Jamshed; and a decline of Rs. 10 each, in Imperial Cotton, and Swadeshi. In Miscellaneous shares, Bombay-Burmah are Rs. 30 lower in the 1st issue; and Rs. 65, in the second. In Presses, Mofussil Co. have declined Rs. 5 1-2; while on the other hand New Berar have advances Rs. 5. In Banks, Bank of Bombay are Rs. 5, lower; and Commercial and Land Mortgage, Rs. 5 higher.

IMPORTS.

PIECE-GOODS.—In "Grey Goods" a very small business is reported for the week, offers based on current rates being eagerly accepted by dealers, while buyers operate only to the extent of meeting their present requirements, which are small. Stocks are very heavy. Forward business is confined to standard makes. "For Bleached," "Dyed," Turkey-Red, and Printed Goods prices are nominally unchanged, with a meagere business doing. In Locally made goode. Zanzibar makes attract attention owing to the very low prices at which they are offering. The clearances of Imported goods from the bazaar during the week have been 2,600 packages and of Local some 1,000 bales.

YARNS.—The China markets are reported to be quiet but steady. Rates here have been firmly maintained, with a steady feeling in the market. The clearances during the week have amounted to about 5,000 bales. Official quotations are as follows:—

Twist	No.	8s	Mule.	As.	3 1-2 to 4	per lb.
"	"	8s	"	"	3 1-2 " 4 1-8	"
"	"	10s	"	"	3 5-8 " 4 3-8	"
"	"	12s	"	"	3 3-4 " 4 3-4	"
"	"	16s	"	"	4 1-2 " 5 1-4	"
"	"	20s	"	"	4 3-4 " 5 1-2	"
"	"	24s	"	"	5 3-8 " 6	"
"	"	30s	"	"	6 1-4 " 6 3-4	"
"	"	40s	"	"	7 " 7 3-4	"

METALS.—"Braziers' Copper" is 2 ans. per cent higher; and "Yellow Metal," 8 ans. "Swedish Bar Iron" is unchanged.

COALS.—There have been sales of ready Watson's Hartley, at Rs. 16 per ton, and also at Rs. 16 1-2 for small lots. Ready Deshagur was sold at Rs. 16 1-2 for September at Rs. 15 1-8, and for October, November, and December at Rs. 15. Jardine's, for December, was done at Rs. 14. As the strike in Cardiff continues unsettled, and there is difficulty in obtaining freight and labour at Calcutta, Bengal Coal is scare. The market closes firm, with a tendency in prices to advance. We quote alongside:—

Welsh Hartley	Nil.
West "	Rs. 18 1-2 per ton
Australian	Nil.
Powell's	Nil.
Cardiff	Nil.
Japan	Rs. 15 3-4 "
Bengal	Rs. 15 "
Singareni	Rs. 14 "
Scarpore	Nil.
Sanctoria	Nil.
Deshagur	Rs. 16 1-2 "

EXPORTS.

COTTON.—The tone of the market has been steady, with a tendency in prices to advance; the new crop being quoted Re. 1 per candy higher, and the old lower to a like extent. The purchases both on account of the Mills and exporters have been small.

The arrivals of new crop Cotton into Bombay during the week have been 11,500 bales compared with 14,500 bales in the corresponding week last year, and 17,500 bales last week. The total arrivals now amount to 1,619,500 bales.

As reported by the telegrams received from the districts on Monday, since the date of the previous advice the most plentiful fall of rain had been at Viramgaum, where 5·28 inches were registered; Wadhwan received only 47 cents, Dholl era 1·98 inch, Bhawnagar 3·06 inches; and in the other districts a very meagre quantity fell. At Barsi Cotton-sowing had been begun; at Wadhwan it was making good progress, and the food-grains sowing was completed.

Since Monday the rainfall, as stated in the telegraphic reports to hand yesterday morning, throughout the Cotton-growing area, had been slight, though general. More rain was wanted in the Punjab districts, but the crop prospects there were reported to be good. At Dholl era the weather had been unusually hot, while there was every appearance of a continued fall of rain. At Barsi the Cotton plants were flourishing in seasonable weather, this being also the case at Broach.

The following are to-day's quotations for full-pressed Cotton with the equivalents in sterling, cost, and freight to Liverpool via Canal, without Commission, viz:—

	Per Candy	Per lb. d. & f.
Bengal, Fine	Rs. 145–31	
Do. Fully Good	" 137–2 29-32d.	
Do. Do. Jan. 1899	" 146–3 3-16d.	
Do. Good	" 132–2 13 16d.	
Behar, Fine	" 146–3 1-32d.	
Do. Fully Good	" 141–3 31 32d.	
Khandesh, Fair, Good	" 144–3 31-32d.	
Oomra, Fully Good	" 150–3 3-32d.	
Dholleras, Fine	" 158–3 7-32d.	
Do. Fully Good	" 148–3 1-16d.	
Do. Good	" 142–2 31-32d.	
Do. Do. May 1899	" 156–3 7-16d.	
S. G. Dharwar, Good	" 155–3 3-16d.	
Broach, Fine	" 160–3 15-16d.	
Do. Fully Good	" 151–3 9-32d.	
Do. Good March 1899	" 176–3 11-16d.	

The Arrivals of New Crop Cotton into Bombay this season, as compared with last, are as follows:—

	Season. 1897-98. F. P. Bales.	Season. 1896-97. F. P. Bales.
Bengals	283,500	251,000
Berar	422,000	294,500
Khandeish	348,500	253,000
Barsee and Nuggar	93,000	75,000
Hingunghat	10,500	10,500
Persian and Sind	16,500	28,000
Broach	152,500	138,000
Dhollera	271,000	234,000
Compta and Dharwar	59,500	71,500
Westerns	12,500	12,500
	1,619,500	1,468,000

The movements of Cotton to date show the following comparison with the previous two years:—

Receipts.	1898. Bales.	1897. Bales.	1895. Bales.
For the week	11,499	13,021	11,959
From 1st Jan. to 14th July	1,505,939	1,212,583	1,570,379
Clearances to Great Britain			
For the week	4,998	4,214	211
From 1st Jan. to 14th July	472,357	71,986	640,890
Clearances to China, Japan, Calcutta, &c.			
For the week	5,014	28,338	13,925
From 1st Jan. to 14th July	378,484	351,518	272,381

WHEAT AND SEEDS.—For the former there has been little or no demand, in a very quiet market, and prices have declined 3 1-2 annas for 91 per cent. and 4 annas for 85 per cent. There has been a steady enquiry for Linseed, Rapeseed, and Poppyseed, with quotations given a Rs. 6-1-6 per cwt. for Linseed, Rs. 5-10 for Yellow-Cawnpore Rapeseed, Rs. 5-12-0 for Brown Delhi, and Rs. 6 7-6 for Poppyseed.

The comparative Imports of Wheat and Seeds are as follows:—

	1898. Cwts.	1897. Cwts.	1896. Cwts.
Wheat for the week	24,497	32,772	21,295
Do. from 1st January to 14th July	4,877,991	862,250	2,815,523
Linseed for the week	19,516	5,020	19,120
Do. from 1st January to 14th July	1,044,143	313,796	3,133,901
Rapeseed for the week	28,083	68,740	25,367
Do. from 1st January to 14th July	1,273,930	1,151,478	748,039
Gingellyseed for the week	2,332	191	443
Do. from 1st January to 14th July	790,921	379,545	818,352

The Clearances of Wheat and Seeds to Great Britain and Continent are as follows:—

	1898. Cwts.	1897. Cwts.	1895. Cwts.
Wheat for the week	78,500	...	27,300
Do. from 1st January to 14th July	5,258,503	2,813	1,214,710
Linseed for the week	104,462	...	29,401
Do. from 1st January to 14th July	1,784,152	394,118	2,507,070
Rapeseed for the week	72,025	76,939	6,001
Do. from 1st January to 14th July	1,391,570	793,745	631,108
Gingellyseed for the week	9,950	...	493
Do. from 1st January to 14th July	1,323,347	397,928	1,051,541

DIVINE SERVICE.

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY, JULY 17.

SAINT THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.
7-30 a.m.—Matins.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion (Choral)—Cruickshank in E flat—Hymns Introit 1, 221, 319 and 191.
5 p.m.—Children's Service.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon—Hymns 235, 19 and 303. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis.—Woodward in A.
Daily—Matins at 6-15 a.m., Holy Communion at 7-15 a.m and Evensong at 5 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH, BYCULLA.
7-30 a.m.—Matins.
8 a.m.—Missa Cantata (Merbecke).—Hymns 33, 313 and 324.
4-45 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Choral Evensong and Sermon—Hymns 163, 248 and 25.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH MALABAR HILL.
7.30 a.m.—Matins.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST.
(Colaba Afghan Memorial Church.)
8 a.m.—Holy Communion (Plain).
11 a.m.—Matins and Litany (Parade Service)—Hymns 184 176 and 175.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.—Hymns 264, 254 and 24.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCHES.
BOWEN CHURCH—Apollo Bunder.
(Behind the Apollo Hotel.)
9-45 a.m.—Sunday school.
11 a.m.—Sermon by Rev. F. Wood.
6 p.m.—Sermon by Rev. L. P. Ross.
Wednesday, 6 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.
(Wandby Road, Esplanade).
4-30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
6 p.m.—Evening Service—Hymns 295, 2.7 and 238. Psalm 81. Tune 156.
8 a.m.—Joint Service in St. Andrew's Church.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, ESPLANADE.
(Near School of Art).
Incumbent.—Rev. C. Gilder.
8 a.m.—Celebration of the Holy Communion and Sermon.—Hymns 6, 177 and 319.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 283, 236 and 224.
The offertories for church expenses and poor relief.

MISSION CHURCH GIRGAUM.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon by Rev. W. H. Dixon.—Hymns 330, 154 and 120.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon by Rev. L. B. Butcher.—Hymns 453, 167 and 385.

SEAMEN'S REST.
Frere Road, Prince's Dock.
Rev. F. Wood, Port Missionary.
7-30 p.m.—Service and Sermon. All seamen and strangers in the port are heartily welcomed.

METHODIST CHURCH.
Wadi Bunder Road, Mazagon.
6 p.m.—Service and Sermon by Mr. M. T. Carroll.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, MAZAGON.
6 a.m.—Holy Eucharist.
7 a.m.—Choral Eucharist (Choral). Preacher, Rev. Father Hoope.
10 a.m.—Children's Service.
6 p.m.—Evensong (Choral). Preacher, Rev. W. E. Jenner. Alms for general expenses.

ST. NICHOLAS (SEAMEN'S) CHURCH.
6-30 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, PAREL.
(Madras time.)
6-30 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon by Rev. G. Lodgard.—Hymns 2/0, 232 and 12.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.
8 a.m.—Morning Service.—Hymns 15, 109 and 8. Psalm 145 2nd ver.
6 p.m.—Evening Service—Ps. 121. Hymns 41, 136 and 346.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

THE following is a list of messages remaining undelivered in the Central Telegraph Office, Bombay, during the week ending 14th July:—

Station from.	Address in full as received
Ahmednagar	Captain Alexander, Yacht Club.
Jhaughai O. R.	Seetala Addin Shivnarain cuicl care of Hew and Co, Hosin Mean Rahimtulla Chall, Malgaon.
Kara	Kallon Panwalla Mohalla Mistry.
Castle Rock S.M.	Diog Cruz, Dobl Talao care of Jose Braganza.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.
Bombay, 14th July, 1898.
Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m. 6 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 dez. Fah.	inches 29·619
Temperature of the Air	degrees 81·7
Wet Bulb Thermometer	77·4
Dew Point	77·2
Relative humidity of Air	·863
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded=10)	10·0
Maximum temperature of the day as read at 8 a.m. next day	degrees 84·5
Minimum do do. (read at 8 a.m.)	76·9
General Directions of wind	W. WSW.
Movement of Wind in 24 hours	miles 389
Fall of Rain	0·52
Total fall during month	6·55
" year	34·19
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 15th July	0·35

* From midnight to midnight.

N. A. F. MOOS.
Director, Government Observatory.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

THURSDAY NIGHT.—JULY 14.

10 p.m.	81·2

FRIDAY.—JULY 15.

6 a.m.	80·6
10 a.m.	80·4
2 p.m.	83·2
4 p.m.	82·2

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DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

[THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

EUROPE.

BIRTHS.

BANKIER—June 27, at Dunforth, Trinity, Edinburgh, the wife of William Albert Bankier, Calcutta, of a son.
EBDEN—June 25, at 3, Downfield-road, Clifton, the wife of E J Eeden, Indian Civil Service, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

COGGIN—STRAITH—June 22, at Holy Trinity Church, Tulse Hill, Sydney Cooper Coggin, to Mildred Florence, younger daughter of the late E S Traill Straith, of Madras.
SANGSTER—ROWLANDSON—June 21, at St Nicholas's Church, New Romney, Capt A Bruce Sangster, 4th Bombay Rifles, eldest son of the late Capt Sangster, formerly 53rd Regt, to Winifred Di Awdy, fourth daughter of the late Major-General Walter Rowlandson, Madras Army.

DEATH.

FULLERTON-CARNEGIE—June 27, at Seapoint, Broadstairs, Major-General George Fullerton-Carnegie (late Bengal Staff Corps), aged 77.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTH.

CROSLEY—July 8, at Okayti Tea Estate, Darjeeling, the wife of H C Crosley, of a son, prematurely, who survived his birth only a few hours.

DEATH.

POULTON—July 9, at Amritsar, George David Poulton, Station Master of Amritsar, aged 46 years and 5 months.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

*** ALL communications intended for publication in our columns, should be addressed to the Editor and not to any individual member of the staff.

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SATURDAY, JULY 16, 1898.

NOT the least interesting and valuable chapter of Sir Courtney Ilbert's volume on "The Government of India," is the seventh, which deals with the relations between that Government and the Governments of the Native States. He illustrates and seeks to explain this difficult subject by reference to the extra-territorial powers exercised by British authorities in Turkey and other countries where there is Cousular jurisdiction, and in British protectorates in Africa where there is none. Extra-territorial jurisdiction in the Ottoman Empire was in a manner inherited from the Byzantine Emperor. So far back as the ninth and tenth centuries the Greek Emperors permitted the Varangians from Scandinavia to have their own wharves, to trade and govern themselves in Constantinople, as British and French and other foreign traders are allowed to do to-day in Shanghai and other Chinese ports. A couple of centuries later, the Venetians obtained similar privileges, and other Italian States succeeded in securing capitulations at intervals. When Mohammad the Conqueror, took Constantinople in 1453, he renewed the capitulations of the Genoese—who had helped him during the siege—and the Venetians. Foreign merchants in oriental countries were self-governing communities owing in part to their different laws and customs which Oriental magistrates did not understand, and in part to the general inefficiency of the local machinery for the administration of justice. The modern capitulations had their origin in the treaty of 1535-6 between the Most Christian King, Francis I., and Solomon the Magnificent, that treaty scandalised Europe, or at all events Germany and the Holy Roman Empire, by treating the Infidel as no longer the natural enemy of Christendom but as an equal and as a possibly very useful ally against the House of Austria. The treaty while admitting the Turk for certain purposes into the European comity, "recognised the broad differences between Christian and Mohammadan institutions, habits and feelings, by insisting on the withdrawal from the jurisdiction of the local courts of Christian foreigners who resorted to Turkish territory for purposes of trade, and by establishing officers and courts with jurisdiction over disputes betweeen followers." The principles underlying the claims for separate laws and separate jurisdiction by foreigners trading with the East, were set forth very clearly by Lord Stowell, in a judgement of the Admiralty Court in the first year of the present century. The distinction, according to this deliverance, arises from the nature and the habits of the countries. In the Western parts of the world alien merchants mix in the society of the natives; access and intermixture are permitted; and they become incorporated to almost the full extent. But in the East from the oldest times, an immiscable character has been kept up; foreigners are not admitted into the general body and mass of the society of the nation; they continue strangers and sojourners, as their fathers were "Not acquiring any natural character under the general sovereignty of the country, they have been held to derive their present character from that of the association or factory under whose protection they live and carry on their trade."

The basis of the British Consular jurisdiction in the near East up to 1825, was the charter granted by James I. in 1605, to the Levant Company established by Elizabeth in 1581. That Company was invested by James' I. Charter with the monopoly of trade with the greater part of the Levant and the Mediterranean, and was empowered to make bye-laws and appoint consuls with judicial functions in those regions. In 1825, the Levant Company which was originally the patron and the pattern of the East India Company was dissolved, and an Act was passed giving to Consuls and other officers appointed by the crown, the jurisdiction and authority up to that time appointed by the Company under the Ottoman capitulations with Elizabeth and her successors. The Foreign Jurisdiction Act of 1890, sets forth, that the Queen having "by treaty, capitulation, usage, sufferance, and other lawful means," power and jurisdiction within divers countries and places out of Her Majesty's dominions she has full power to legislate by Order in Council in respect to all persons under that jurisdiction "as if Her Majesty had acquired such power and jurisdiction by the cession or conquest of territory." That sufficiently comprehensive clause gives Her Majesty more unrestricted powers outside the British dominions over all persons subject to extra territorial jurisdiction than that possessed by the Crown in the United Kingdom, the Colonies or British India. The Foreign Jurisdiction Act of 1890, is only one of several. At first extra-territorial jurisdiction applied to countries where regular governments existed to whom Consuls were accredited, as in Turkey, Persia, China and Japan. In their territories Europeans and Americans are classes apart, and the local authorities cannot be expected to afford protection for interests differing in so many respects from those with which the native administrations are accustomed to deal. They were therefore placed under the protection of the Consuls of their respective States in accordance with the capitulations or conventions between them and the government of the country in which they carry on their trade or other calling. When it became necessary to extend the system to barbarous countries without any settled government in the early sixties, Acts were passed empowering the Colonial authorities in Sierra Leone and the Cape, to exercise jurisdiction over the tribes in the adjacent territories. Some years later an Act was passed to enable a court established for the purpose to exercise Civil and Criminal Jurisdiction over British subjects in the Pacific Islands. In those Islands, French or German officers may exercise a similar jurisdiction. But a third stage was reached when the Act of Berlin recognised the right of any signatory Power to acquire possession of territory in Africa, or to assume a protectorate over territory, on notifying the assumption to the other Powers so that they might, put forward any prior claim. The Emperor William was the first to exercise that right, by granting a charter to the German Colonization Society entitling them to exercise "Landeshobbeit," territorial superiority, over a region in East Africa ceded to him by traders. This grant gave the Company jurisdiction over the natives, German subjects, and foreigners established in those territories or sojourning there. The question arose, and is not yet decided, whether the East Africa protectorate is German territory in the fullest sense of the term, and the natives thereof German subjects. The same question has been raised with respect to the British protectorates in Africa over regions inhabited by savage tribes. A "protectorate" conveys the idea of a protecting State and a protected State. Where the latter does not exist, the inhabitants being wandering tribes, and the only State exercising sovereign rights is the protecting State, the difference between a protectorate and actual sovereignty is very shadowy. When "we the undersigned Sub-Chiefs of the Wanyaasa people" earnestly beseech the Queen to take their country, themselves and their people under her protection and power, and in consideration of that boon "give over all our country, all sovereign rights and all and every other claim absolutely and without and reservation whatever to Her Majesty," it is not easy to see what fragment of sovereignty can remain to these generous donors. Are the Sub-Chiefs and their people British subjects? It is by no means easy to decide the question. Before it can be answered, the question whether the inhabitants of the Native States of India are British subjects is to be considered. The Africa Order in Council of 1889, defined British subjects to be persons born in the Queen's dominions, or naturalised according to law, and also persons enjoying her Majesty's protection and in particular, subjects of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty, residing and being in the parts of Africa specified in the Order. That does not constitute the natives of Indian Principalities or States, British subjects outside the African protectorates. An Africa Order of 1892, placed foreigners also under the same category as British subjects and made them justiciable to the Courts.

What are the powers of the Government of India outside the limits of British India? Sir Courtney Ilbert deals with this by no means simple problem in considerable detail, which we cannot follow. But the leading points may be briefly indicated. The Government of India Act of 1865, declared it expedient to enlarge the powers of the Governor-General in Council, by authorising him to make laws and regulations for all British subjects of Her Majesty within the dominions of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty, whether in the service of the Government of India or otherwise. The Indian Council's Act, of 1869, went further and conferred power to legislate for all persons being native subjects of Her Majesty, without and beyond the Indian territories under her rule. The Indian Legislature is also empowered to make laws for the Indian Marine Service in Indian waters which are defined as the high seas between the Cape of Good Hope on the West and the Straits of Magellan on the East, and all territorial waters within those limits. From this point of view the future of the Philippines may be reasonably held to constitute an Indian interest, those twelve hundred Islands being indubitably in Indian waters. Any subject of Her Majesty or of any Prince or State in India, who commits or abets an offence against the Slave Trade Act on the high seas, or in any part of Asia or Africa, may be tried anywhere in India. The Indian Legislature made full use of the powers given to make European British subjects and natives of India criminally liable for offences committed outside the limits of British India, just as if they had committed it in India, the former being amenable for offences committed in Native States, and the latter when the offences are committed anywhere outside British India. This goes further than Parliamentary enactments dealing with extra-territorial offences. The Indian Legislature, the writer observes, is not an agent or delegate of the Imperial Parliament, though its powers are limited by the terms in which those powers are conferred. It can make laws for the Native of Indian subjects of Her Majesty in any part of the world, and for her British European subjects in Native States. The Governor-General has powers even more far-reaching than those of the Indian Legislature, for he represents the Crown, and can exercise under delegated authority the powers incidental to Sovereignty with reference both to British India and to neighbouring territories, subject of course, to the restrictions imposed by Parliament on the exercise of such powers and to the control of the Secretary of State. He can make treaties and conventions not only with the Native States of India, but with the rulers of States external to India, such as Afghanistan and Nepaul. He can acquire and exercise within such States powers of legislation and jurisdiction similar to those exercised by the Crown in China, Africa and elsewhere, and extending to persons who are not British subjects. The Government of India has a Foreign Jurisdiction Act—that of 1879. It recites in its turn that the Governor-General in Council has acquired by treaty, capitulation, usage, sufferance and other lawful means power and jurisdiction beyond the limits of British India, and proceeds to make the laws of India applicable to offences committed by British subjects beyond the limits of India, and provides for the extradition of offenders. The Governor-General is empowered to exercise any of his powers ex-territorially in such manner and by such agency as he shall deem advisable. Those extra-territorial powers can be exercised within the territories of all the Native States of India, subject to such agreement or usages as may exist in any particular case.

THERE is every reason to anticipate that during the current year, the retardation of our foreign trade caused by famine, plague and earthquake in 1897, will be more than overset.

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE HISPANO-AMERICAN WAR.

SURRENDER OF SANTIAGO.

LONDON, JULY 14.

Santiago has surrendered after a conference between General Toral and Shafter at which it was agreed that the following conditions should form the basis of the capitulation :—

The surrender of Santiago with the whole of Eastern Cuba from Acerradores in the south to Sagua in the north.

The Americans agree to transport General Toral's troops to Spain in American ships, the Spanish officers being permitted to retain their swords.

Commissioners have been appointed to arrange the necessary details.

YELLOW FEVER AT SANTIAGO.

It is reported that General Duffield has been attacked with yellow fever at Santiago.

AMERICA'S TERMS OF PEACE.

JULY 15.

The "New York Herald" states that Government officials at Washington assert, that President McKinley is not desirous of retaining the Philippines and will be satisfied with Guam Island and a Coaling Station in the Far East.

Provided that Puerto Rico is ceded to America and Cuba is made independent, it is further said that the President will not demand a money indemnity from Spain.

The Americans will not transfer Santiago de Cuba to the Cubans until the Spanish evacuate the whole of Cuba.

THE SPANISH PRISONERS AT SANTIAGO.

General Shafter reports that by the surrender of Santiago his prisoners number between 12,000 and 15,000.

THE REBELLION IN CHINA.

JULY 14.

It is reported at Canton that Doctor Sunyatsen is a prominent leader of the rebellion.

There is much sympathy with the rebels in Canton, but it is stated the rebels will not advance beyond Shuching above Samshui, fearing foreign complications if Canton is attacked.

RESULT OF THE ECLIPSE STAKES.

JULY 15.

The Eclipse Stakes run for to-day resulted as follows :—

Velasquez	1
Batt	2
Golotta	3

THE MAILS.

ADEN, JULY 15.

The P. and O. Company's s. s. Clyde, with the homeward Mails of the 9 instant, arrived here at 11 a.m. to-day.

THE SUPREME LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THE PAPER CURRENCY BILL PASSED.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

SIMLA, JULY 15.

At the Legislative Council to-day, Sir J. Westland's Paper Currency Bill was passed without discussion and Mr. Rivaz introduced a Bill to regulate the importation of live stock. Mr. Rivaz said, that the main object of the Bill was to protect India against the importation of horses affected with tick for though horses themselves are immune, they are capable of communicating the pest to cattle and of spreading it from place to place. The Bill was of a general character, merely giving powers to Government to make rules and regulations for the enforcement of which it was proposed to utilise the machinery of the customs department. The Council then adjourned to 12th August.

RAIN IN THE KHYBER.

Good rain has at last fallen in the Khyber, relieving the heat from which the British force there has been suffering, and replenishing the water supply at Landikotal, where progress is being made with the construction of a second storage reservoir.

THE LATE MR. F. S. WILDE.

No further particulars of the murder of Mr. F. S. Wilde by coolies on the Bengal-Assam Railway has been received, but a district officer has been sent to investigate.

GAZETTE OF INDIA NOTIFICATIONS.

Home Department.—A draft rule is published under the Explosives Act to be taken into consideration two months from this date. It merely lays down, that quantities of explosive which may be imported without license are such as may be prescribed under the existing Act and the rules are, when not so prescribed, in reasonable quantities for private use.

The services of Surgeon-Lieutenant E. Mair, I.M.S., are placed at the disposal of the Bengal Government to officiate as Inspector-General of Jails in Bengal.

Surgeon-Captain Thomson, Bombay, reverts to Military employ.

Surgeon-Major H. C. Hudson officiates as Senior Medical Officer, Port Blair vice MacDonald temporarily reverted to military employ.

Foreign Department.—Mr. A. Lucas officiates as Judicial Commissioner, Berar, vice Mr. Obbard, until the return from leave of Mr. A. Elliot, who then takes this appointment. Captain Haig Assistant Commissioner, Berar, reverts to the same Department.

Finance Department.—Mr. W. H. Mellor is posted as Assistant-Accountant-General, North West Provinces ; Mr. U. L. Majumdar being posted as Assistant Accountant-General, Burma, vice Mr. Mellor.

Mr. Gamble, officiating Accountant-General, Punjab, is granted two and a half months' leave from the 8th instant, Mr. W. H. Dobbie officiating, and Mr. R. N. Ray acting for Mr. Dobbie.

Military Department :—Lieutenant Strong, 8th Bombay Infantry, is admitted to the Staff Corps.

Surgeon-Lieutenant Colonel Hendley resigns his Commission in Bombay Baroda Railway Volunteers.

BOMBAY COMMAND ORDERS.

POONA, JULY 15.

Surgeon-Captain Jardine, I. M. S., Bengal, officiated in medical charge of 13th Bo. I. from 7th September to 5th November 1897 vice Surgeon Captain Bennett on field service.

It is notified for information that deaths of Regimental warrant officers should be reported to Secretary to Government of India, Military Department, only such reports not being required at Army Headquarters in India.

The Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces has been pleased to sanction the following allotments to Volunteers Corps on account of Camp of Exercise to be held during the season of 1898-99 :—Great Indian Peninsula Railway Volunteer, Rs. 2,703 ; 1st Bn. Bombay Baroda and Central India Railway Volunteers, Rs. 2,254 ; 2nd Bn. Bombay Baroda and Central India Railway Volunteers, Rs. 2,940 ; Bengal Nagpore Railway Volunteers, Rs. 2400. Under instructions from War Office ; Major Annesley Royal Fusiliers, Commandant Colaba Depot, is directed to proceed to England to join the 3rd Battalion of which he has been appointed 2nd in command travelling at public expense.

The undermentioned officers of Royal Artillery have passed in subject (*c*) Artillery as stated against their names :—Lieutenant Poole, distinguished ; Lieutenant Wyatt ordinary Lieutenant Thomson very satisfactory.

The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant—2nd Lieutenant Cock, R. A., Steele and Parker, 1st Battalion Wiltshire, Regiment.

The undermentioned have passed examination laid down in Army Regulations, India, Vol. IX, para 241, Karachi Artillery Volunteers—Captain Whitworth, 2nd ; Lieut Rogers Harrison, Corporal Smith, and Hollart :—gunners Seery, and Agelasto. Undermentioned officers has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to return to duty : Lieut Col Bignell, Meywar Bhil corps.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to proceed out of India on private affairs, under leave rules :—Staff Corps, the specified period to count from date of being struck off duty :—Captain Ayerst, Wing Officer, 20th Bombay Infantry for one year, pension service fifteenth year commenced 6th February, 1898.

The undermentioned officers and warrant officers have leave of absence ; Durham Light Infantry, 2nd Battn.—Captain Bush, Inspector and Adjutant G. I. P. Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps from 1st August to 31st October, 1898, on private affairs to Neilgherries.

Army Medical Staff—Surgeon Captain Mander, four months on private affairs, out of India.

Ordnance Department—Sub-conductor Charlesworth early transport on private affairs granted by Secretary of State for India.

CRICKET AT POONA.

The cricket match Poona Gymkhana versus Deccan College past and present, had to be put off till to-morrow owing to the ground being wet.

CAPTAIN HENEAGE A.-D.-C. LEAVES FOR ENGLAND.

Captain Heneage, Aide-de-Camp to Lord Sandhurst, left Poona yesterday for Bombay *en route* to England as he has resigned his appointment and joined his Regiment the 12th Lancers at Aldershot. His departure deprives Poona of a very familiar figure, always well to the front in sports.

COURT MARTIAL OVER AN HOSPITAL ASSISTANT.

A District Court Martial on Second Grade Hospital Assistant Bhaw Bajirao, Bombay Subordinate Medical Department, was held at Chaman on 29th of last month, for absenting himself without leave from detachment 22nd B. I., also on charge of intoxication. He was found guilty upon both charges, the Court sentenced him be reduced in his grade.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

PORT SAID, JULY 14.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Rewa, left here this morning.

The German East Africa Line steamer Safari, left Zanzibar for Bombay on the 15th instant, via Lamu and Mombassa.

ADEN, JULY 14.

The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Amphitrite, from Trieste, left here this evening for Bombay.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, JULY 14.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed steady. Surats dull.

Good Bhownuggur	2 31-32

The Manchester Market has been steady.

2½ per cent. Consols	111 5-8
3 per cent. Rentes	103 1-4
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan	114 1-2
3½ per cent. Rupee Paper	93 1-8
Bar Silver	27 3-8

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday, show the following results :—Total Bullion, £30,300,000 ; Decrease, £800,000 ; Public Deposits, £7,300,000 ; Decrease, £830,000 ; Other Deposits, £40,900,000 ; Increase, £700,000 ; Other Securities, £33,500,000 ; Increase, £100,000 ; Notes and Gold, £25,000,000 ; Decrease, £300,000. The Bank's Reserve is 40 per cent. of the Liabilities.

ARRIVAL OF THE OVERLAND MAILS OF THE 1ST JULY.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Arabia, Captain J. L. Parfitt, with the overland mails of the 1st instant, arrived in Bombay harbour at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. She brought the following passengers :—

FROM LONDON.

Acklom, Mr E
Brunton, Miss
Chamberlain, Mr, Mrs & Miss
Firth, Mrs Misses
Greenhalgh, Mr D
Metta, Mr H M
Millar, Mr M E
Roddy, Miss Maud
Robinson, Mr W H
Steele, Major
Thorne, Mr J W
Watson, Mr, Mrs and Miss
Watson, Mr H M
Wainschaffe, Miss
Walker, Mr, & H
Young, Mr and Mrs W M

FROM MARSEILLES.

Acharyya, Mr B K
Brownlow, Major
Betts, Mr C C
Blewett, Maj
Bhandari, Mr A L
Brown, Mr J E
Bignell, Col and Mrs
Bayley, Mr J B
Bromley, Mr
Drummond, Major E H
Evans, Mr P
Hazlar, Mr J J
Khoster, Mr B P
Moore, Mr W B and child
Moore, Jr. Mr
Plummer, Major F H
Ral, Mr D
Richy, Capt
Reid, Capt C C
Scorgie, Mr
Single, Mr
Smith, Mr T A
Spencer, Rev W H
Swan, Mr F
Sheepshanks, Mr R
Stirner, Surg-Lieut-Col A J
Silk, Mr
Unwin, Mr
Unwin, Capt G H
Watson, Miss Rhoda

FROM BRINDISI.

Aziz, Mr A
Browne, Lieut H J
Berhamjee, Mr H B
Candy, Mr Justice
Garth, Mr G L
Lees, Mr
Nicoll. Mr J
Orr, Mr
Tarachand, Mr R K and Miss
Venis. Mr A

FROM GIBRALTAR.

Alves, Mr and Mrs A J
Barros, Nallatores Mr
Whiteley, Rev C E

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Egypt, Captain R. F. Briscoe, will sail to-day for Brindisi, Marseilles and London, with the undermentioned mails and the following passengers :—

FOR LONDON.

Bannerjea, Rovd A M
Bannerjea, Mrs
Barr, Lieut Col
Brook, Major Genl and Mrs E S
Brook, Mrs and child
Broughan, Mr J
Burton, Major H G
Casement, Capt R
Caspores, Mrs
Clayton, Mr H B
Clift, Surgt
Cooke, Mr J
Cooke, Gen I A
Darrach, Capt
Drummond, Admiral and 2 Misses
Edwards, Mr
Kelwegar, Mr
Forbes, Capt L A
French, Surg Capt H C
Gale, Mr
Gauntlett, Mr F
Goyder, Mr G B
Hall, Mr W
Hamblen, Mr and Mrs W L
Hanford, Major M T
Harpur, Mr
Hemming, Capt R
Jenyns, Mr
Lyall, Sir C and Lady and 3 Misses
Macfee, Rev I M
Manihar, Mr
Mathews, Mr J E
Mobb, Mr
Moore, Surg Capt G A
Morison, Revd Dr D
Northey, Lieut H H
Palmer, Mr C G
Pelly, Mr C B M
Potter, Miss
Reilly, Lieut Col B L
Roberts, Mr and Mrs T H and infant
Ross, Mr
Roe, Surg Major R R
Russell, Mrs
Sevenster, Mr Henry
Shuttleworth, Mr and Mrs A and 4 children
Smith, Capt W D
Smith, Mr E A
Spencer, Mr H
Stevens, Dr A E
Swinnerton, Mr R
Telford, Mr A W
Thackwell, Mr C J R
Thackwell, Mrs and child
Walton, Mr F T G
Watts, Sergt
William, Mr G R C
Wilson, Col and Mrs E H
Wilson, 2 Misses
Young, Mr H G

FOR MARSEILLES.

Arbuthnot, Mr
Brett, Mr and Mrs
Brander, Capt H
Boasier, Mr C E
Bolleau, Lieut E R V
Bell, Mr
Baillie, Mr D C
Bennett, Col and Mrs Burton
Browne, Major A
Barr, Mrs
Barr, Miss
Brodie, Mr A W
Burn, Mr J J
Bundy, Mr
Baillie, Major F D
Ballard, Mr P G
Carey, Lieut A B
Cunningham, Lieut C M
Oakes, Mr W H
Cole, Capt H W J
Cary, Mr A
Carr, Major S C
Crommelin, Mr and Mrs
Dixon, Lieut
Dominichetti, Mr
Duncan, Capt F
Dawkins, Lieut J B
Earle, Surg Capt H M
Ewes, Mr G W
Edwards, Mr E
Ellis, Surg Col and Mrs P M and infant
Flanagan, Mr and Mrs
Fitzgerald, Mrs C M
Fitzgibbin, Mrs F T and child
Fry, Mr T D
Fitch, Mr C
Fitzherbert, Col E H
Fowle, Major
Fischer, Mrs child and Inft
Gibb, Mr G C
Glazobrook, Lt G C
Goodwin-Austin, Mr and Mr
Goodall, Mr C
Grove, Mr T
Harris, Mr L
Hall, Brig Genl R
Heig, Revd A and Mrs
Heneage, Capt, The Hon H G
Hogg, Maj r Genl G C
Hankin, Mr E H
Holder, Mr and Mrs
Hotherall, Col J
Harrison, Mr P
Hargreaves, Mr C
Hodkinson, Lieut J
Hughes, Mr W
Jacob, Col S L
James, Mr and Mrs
Jones, Capt F G
King, Surg Lieut A F W
King, Mr A R
London, Mr C
Lawrie, Mr G C
LeMesurier, Mrs T and infant
Lawrence, Mr
Mackie, Mr A W
McGuildon, Mr E G J
Main, Major T B
Marder, Surg Capt
Miller, Mr W
Maynard, Mr and Mrs J R P
Malleby, Capt M
Muenaghton, Lieut M P
Mansfield, Major H
Moriarty, Surg-Lt-Col
Mitham, Mr A C
O'Donnell, Major O
Oldham, Mr
Paterson, Mr A G
Prior, Col W
Pool, Mr W G
Ravenhill, Lieut H S
Roper, Mr Campbell R
Ross, Mr and Mrs H D L
Rose, Capt C S
Russell, Lieut
Saunders, Mr E
Stewart, Lieut J L
Swifte, Lieut E L
Smith, Lieut T R
Stansfield, Lieut F
Short, Mr W
Stone, Mr and Mrs
Shephard, Lieut S H
Schalch Col V A
Stevens, Lieut V N G
Twiss, Lieut F A
Travers, Miss C
Tomkins, Lieut H L
Toyn, Mr and Mrs L W
Tutham Lieut V W G
Tatham Miss
Vauxerbyn, Mr C T
Wilkinson, Major F A
Walker, Lieut H A
Wright Capt D H H
Whatman, Major W D
Worlledge, Major W F
Western Major S K
Western, Major G N
Wolseley, Genl
Wheeler, Lieut G M

FOR BRINDISI.

McKerrell, Capt
Hodge, Mr A
Pilkington, Mr A
Richardson, Surg Col V
Spoor, Major J L

FOR SUEZ.—Rycrort, Major W H

In "Country Life Illustrated," an interesting account is given of the wild animals at Woburn Abbey. The photographs which accompany the article show an Australian crane, a Wapiti stag, a young Wapiti, and a kangaroo. The mixture of foreign and British series is, says Mr. C. J. Cornish, complete. There is a kind of freemasonry among both birds and beasts, and not the slightest disposition is shown to regard an "Aliens Bill" as necessary

General Coppinger, who is Commander-in-Chief of the United States Expedition to Porto Rico, has had a romantic career. He has served under three flags, first as an officer of the British Army, then in the Irish Papal Brigade in the late fifties, and then on the Federal side in the great Civil War of the United States. The General is a son-in-law of Senator Blaine, who was at one time a candidate for the Presidency of the United States. He is an Irishman, and was born at Middleton, co. Cork, and he is as heir-presumptive to a great estate in Cork County, a potential Irish landlord.

A new story of Captain Trevor's it may be well to preface by a reminder of his own that there is a difference between what sounds profane and what is profane in that distinction is the absence of profanity. A chaplain was dissatisfied with the slovenly manner in which the Creed was said by the garrison choir. Said the Sergeant-Major to whom this grief was confided, "If I might suggest, sir, I'd just let things be 'as you were' this Sunday, and I'll step up next practice." At the very next practice the Sergeant-Major accordingly stepped up. No possible circumstances or set of conditions can eradicate or even dull the military instincts of a Sergeant-Major. he had a short conversation with the chaplain, and then addressed the choir. "Now, men." The mere sound of his voice was electric. No little band boy now lolled on the choir desk. The third fingers of the hand were on the seams of the trousers and the heads erect. The Sergeant-Major proceeded ; "When you 'ear the 'oly man say 'Hi b'lieve,' not a move—them words is only cautionary ; but when 'e starts on 'Gord the Father,' round yer go on yer 'e els." Then to the chaplain ; "Now, sir, you try." The chaplain was wise enough to note that the sacred words had been uttered and received in perfect good faith, but without a semblance of profanity, so he thanked the Sergeant-Major and "tried" for himself. Success was instantaneous.

ENGLISH POLITICAL AND SOCIAL LETTER.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JULY 1.

THE STATE OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

While Mr. Goschen was referring at the Mansion House on Wednesday, to the present as a time "of anxious watchfulness" and of quite exceptional momentousness, Lord Salisbury was telling his audience at St. James's Hall that "the world at present looks smiling enough to us politically." If the world looks smilingly at England the *Times* does not look smilingly at Lord Salisbury, who is severely taken to task by his mentor of Printing House Square, for hinting again the stale charge that the labours of the Foreign Office have been hampered by the injudicious talkativeness of the Press, and called upon to prove his words. The injudicious talkativeness of late has not been so much at Blackfriars as at Birmingham. It is rather surprising to note how little attention has been paid on this side of the Channel to the arrangement on which Lord Salisbury prides himself come to with M. Meline's Government, just before his fall respecting the West African dispute. In referring to this satisfactory but inadequately appreciated settlement, Lord Salisbury seems to have gone out of his way to say smooth things about our French rivals styling France "our greatest and most cultivated neighbour." The only result of this civility is to lead to a revival of the periodical outcry on the part of French journalists that we should regularise our position in Egypt and to some murmurings at the fresh proof afforded of British perfidy by the remission of the loan of £798,000 granted to the Khedive's Government last year for the successful operations in the Soudan.

THE CURRENCY QUESTION.

In the course of the short debate that preceded the third reading of the Indian Loan Bill, on Monday, Mr. B. Cohen defended the Secretary of State, from the attacks made upon him, with reference to the currency inquiry, and denied that the composition of the Fowler Committee is as everybody else has contended unsatisfactory. In the debate referred to Lord G. Hamilton made one remark that deserves to be noticed. The first city memorial protesting against the Committee was he said signed by many persons under a misapprehension. They thought that the scope of the inquiry was to be more limited than eventually proved to be the case. But for this, he added, they would not have signed. If they erred it was because Lord George Hamilton had not definitely made up his mind or failed to make the point clear. Everyone thought until the noble lord made his later explanations, that the inquiry was to be of an extremely limited character. Another interesting statement was made on Monday by Lord George. Mr. Strauss pressed for a precise declaration in the Bill that the money should not be used for currency purposes. Lord George gave an unqualified promise that no portion should be devoted to such an object, and this undertaking was to the satisfaction of Lord Kimberley repeated in the House of Lords by the Earl of Onslow. Mr. Swift MacNeill in Monday's discussion, did his best, though of course unconsciously, to still further discredit the little band of members who so maladroitly protect the interests of the people of India. It is of course quite open to Mr. Swift MacNeill or anybody else to say that we hold India for the good of the "English trading community" but he rather tried the patience of members when he went on to "protest against the robbery of India" ; the "injustice done to its people" in maintaining a system of governing the country that is "a fraud upon India," and which this excitable gentleman believes will one day call down upon us "the vengeance of a just God." After this there is nothing to be done but for the Congress party to invite Mr. Swift MacNeill to preside at their next Congress. The House of Commons would gladly give him six months' leave.

THE PRESS BAZAAR.

The most notable social event of the week and perhaps of the entire season has been the bazaar held at the Hotel Cecil, on Tuesday and Wednesday, on behalf of the London Hospital. The idea originated with Mrs. Spender, wife of the Editor of the "Westminster Gazette" and though some of the great morning journals stood aloof, there was no lack of papers to make the affair important. The list of papers which had stalls is as follows :—"Artist," "Black and White," "Daily Chronicle," "Financial News," "Gentlewoman," "Graphic, &c. " "Hospital," "Illustrated London News" &c., "Jewish Chronicle," "The Lady, Ladies Field &c.," "Morning Post," "Daily Mail and Evening News," "Naval and Military Magazine," "Observer and Sunday Times," "Punch," "Queen," "Referee and Weekly Despatch," "Stage," "Sun," "Tablet," "Truth," "Vanity Fair," "Westminster Gazette," and "World of Dress." The abstention of at least four of the most important morning journals and of a considerable number of representative evening and weekly papers did not imply as the *Times* points out want of sympathy with the London Hospital. It merely showed that they considered it inexpedient for more than one reason, to associate themselves in an active way with a bazaar having for its object the benefit of a single institution. There was at one time a proposal to include an Indian Stall. I myself was honoured with an invitation to assist in organising such a department but I respectfully declined on the ground that London was rich enough to support its own charities without appealing to the Press of a country six thousand miles away and suffering from an unprecedented succession of natural disasters. The proposed appeal to the Indian Press and the Indian public was wisely dropped. Mrs. Spender, though as one of the Society papers puts it she is only the wife of a Radical editor, was able to secure the co-operation of the great ladies and almost every titled woman in London seems to have assisted as stall holder or in some other capacity. The Princess of Wales and the Duchess of York went down to open the bazaar and so great was the crush that many who had taken tickets to see them perform that interesting ceremony were shut out. They were of course annoyed ; but the police apparently thought that the annoyance of one of the highest in the land—one illustrious person is said to have used very forcible language—was not to be compared to the risk of another catastrophe similar in gravity to that which attended a bazaar in Paris a year or more ago. On the first day the receipts including some big contributions from newspaper proprietors amounted to £7,000 ; on the second day they appeared to have amounted to £3,000. If a portion of the London papers merely can by a hurriedly arranged bazaar of two day's duration raise such a comparatively large sum as £10,000 for a single hospital it only shows, what the entire Press combined could accomplish in this way. In Paris it is the practice for the Press to take the lead in such matters. Perhaps it may become so in this country ; but if the Press should ever become the organ of the larger forms of charity it would mean an appreciable loss of income in the shape of fewer advertisements.

GOVERNMENT AND ANTARCTIC EXPLORATION.

Some months ago the Royal Geographical Society through their President. Sir Clement Markham, made an urgent appeal to her Majesty's Government to undertake an Antarctic Expedition or to liberally assist one carried out by other people. Lord Salisbury replied that the matter should receive earnest consideration and that he would communicate with the Australian colonies as to their co-operation. Lord Salisbury now intimates that after carefully consulting the Treasury and the Admiralty he is unable under existing circumstances to hold out any hope of complying with the Society's wishes. He at the same time communicates the unwillingness of the colonies to contribute, though this is a factor. The Council of the Society have not relinquished the idea of an expedition ; indeed they have determined to make an effort to raise the sum required—"not less than £50,000"—by subscription. What with the Gladstone National Memorial about to be started and other pressing appeals, the faction of the Geographical Society must be considered highly courageous, and that is perhaps all that can be said for it. Possibly Sir C. Markham and his colleagues hope that the Government will relent, when sufficient Parliamentary pressure is brought to bear upon them. But there is so far no evidence that Parliament is deeply interested in the question or particularly anxious that the flesired grant out to be made out of the British Exchequer. The *Times* is highly indignant and highly irrelevant, declaring that the decision of the Government "recalls only too forcibly their attitude in other momentous affairs which have been recently before the public." Everybody does not regard the proposed expedition important though it may be in its way a momentous affair and it is a far cry from Port Arthur to the Antarctic circle.

RETIREMENT OF MR. F. C. DANVERS.

After forty-five year's service Mr. Frederick Charles Danvers has retired from the Indian Office under the limit of age regulations and last evening he was entertained by his late colleagues at a complimentary dinner. The gathering took place at the Civil Service Stores in the Haymarket and was attended by about fifty members of the India Office Staff including Sir William Lee Warner, Sir George Birdwood, Mr. Edmond Noel, C.I.E., Mr. A. N. Wollaston, C.I.E., Mr. Charles Tawney, C.I.E., Mr. F. G. B. Trevor, Mr. A. Guillam Scott, and Mr. Seras T. Rowlands. The proceedings were of the pleasantest and most cordial character; the genial chairman, Mr. E. Grant Burls, Director-General of Stores, who holds his office for such occasions *en permanence*, excelling all his previous records, by the witty and hearty manner in which he proposed the toast to Mr. Danvers. The latter in reply gave a most interesting sketch of his career in the India Office, concluding with some statistics illustrative of the progress of India during his own time, formulated in the telling manner which he so perfectly commands in dealing with such intrinsically dry and forbidding materials. The rest of the evening was devoted to song and recitations, Messrs. Morgan, W. Foster, Clench, and Hall particularly distinguishing themselves by the part songs and solos with which they favoured the revellers, and Messrs Rowlands and Herbert by their admirable recitations. Mr. Danvers began his official career in 1853 as a "Writer" in the old East India House, and after serving in various departments of the India Office, was fourteen years ago appointed Registrar and Superintendent of Records. His reports on the India Office records and on the Portuguese records relating to India are well known. Four years ago he published a "History of the Portuguese in India," a work that attracted some attention at the time and gained the author the distinction of a corresponding member of the Royal Geographical Society of Lisbon. His successor in the Record Department is Mr. Arthur Naylor Wollaston, C.I.E., who will find in his new post some field for his literary tastes. Though he has never served in the East he has a high reputation as a Persian scholar and Orientalist. As far back as 1877 he published a translation of the "Anvar-i-Suhaili" or Fables of Bidpai. Two years later he edited Sir Lewis Pelly's miracle play of "Hasan and Husain," and in 1880, he was selected to succeed Sir Frederick Goldsmid as examiner in Persian at the Royal Staff College, Sandhurst. His English-Persian Dictionary of which an enlarged edition was published nine years ago is familiar to all who are interested in the language of the Land of the Lion and the Sun. Since 1884 he has been Assistant Secretary of the Revenue Department, and in the ordinary course of events he might have looked forward to the Secretaryship of that department. But as I mentioned some time ago the term of office of the present Secretary, Sir Charles Bernard, has been extended, and it is not improbable that when the time comes for selecting his successor an official of Indian experience will be chosen. In the circumstances Mr. Wollaston has perhaps acted wisely in accepting the control of the Record Department. He has the credit amongst those who know him of being an able official, and though he has never had the management of a large staff, there is no doubt that he will be equal to the task. ." A propos" of the Secretaryship the increasing tendency to confer these coveted posts on men from India cannot be heard-burning amongst the permanent staff who see their prospects of rising to the top of the tree thereby diminished. At present four out of the six "Correspondence Departments"—Military, Revenue, Political and Judicial—are held by ex-Indian officials, the exceptions being the Financial and Public Works Department. There may be reasons unknown to the public why men of Indian training should be perferred in all these cases, but people are puzzled to know why if the Secretaryships are bestowed upon ex-Lieutenant-Governors, and ex-Chief Commissioners and ex-Members of Council it is necessary to continue the Secretary of State's Council in its present form. Mr. Wollaston is succeeded as Assistant Secretary of the Revenue Department by Mr. Henry Hill of the Public Works Department.

"IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT SUPREME IN INDIA."

Under the above heading Sir John Jardine contributes to the new number of the "Asiatic Quarterly Review" an interesting and learned review of Sir Courtenay Ilbert's important work on the Government of India. In tracing the evolution of the British *raj* Sir John refers to its mercantile tradition and to the power at one time enjoyed by the Company's servants of engaging in trade on their own account. Though often ending in insolvency the mercantile career was more alluring than the inadequately paid official positions. In an unpublished minute the Hon. Francis Warden gave in 1824 a roll "descriptive of the destiny of the Civilians who were appointed from 1743 to 1777." It showed, we are told, that between 1755 and 1777 only three had acquired fortunes : while of 75 in the list of 1755 48 died in India of whom only 8 did well. But 25 had died positive bankrupts and the remaining 15 were about square with the world or possessed little more than sufficient to defray their burial charges. The great influence of Parliament on the whole long process leading to the present constitution is insisted upon. Incidentally Sir John expresses the opinion that the right of the non-official members to put questions to the Indian Government is certain to be extended when the Parliamentary statutes are recast. Interpellation is recommended by him for this among other reasons that it is useful to Civilians cut off by their hard office work from enough contact with the people. Sir John mentions the case of a Chief Secretary who in his working day of ten hours finds only ten minutes to glance at a newspaper. The traditions of Parliament, he submits, will prevent that august body ever loosening its grasp over a continent it has done so much and he says he would "welcome a strong Indian phalanx in the House of Commons well-informed like the Scottish party." He also "in some alarm" raises the point whether the Indian law of sedition would not be better moulded at St. Stephen's. He takes this opportunity of replying to a letter written to the *Times* twelve months ago by Lord Harris with reference to the Poona troubles, and questioning the propriety of the acquittal of the Pindaric poet in 1893 by the High Court. In another and less controversial article Sir John reviews Sir John Scott's final report as Conseiller Judiciaire in Egypt. One of the many reforms effected by Sir John Scott relates to the law of evidence in capital cases. Formerly in Egyptian law it required that in order to procure sentence of death there must be either a confession of the accused or the testimony of two eye-witnesses. This singular rule was based on the erroneous assumption that it belonged to Mohammedan law. The extreme penalty can now in Egypt be inflicted upon general presumptions or proofs. The writer points out that Sir John Scott has in what he has effected in the post from which he has just retired with so much *eclat* introduced some procedures which had worked well in India, but used the terms of French law and modified them to suit the Egyptian code. It is characteristic of the elasticity of our system that the report of an official like Sir John Scott even after all these years of British occupation should be written not in English but in French.

THE I. C. S. COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS.

The Civil Service Commissioners (Mr. W. J. Courthope, C. B., and Lord Francis Hervey) have invited Mr. H. M. Birdwood, C. S. I., to be one of the Law Examiners at the final examination for the Indian Civil Service in September, and he has accepted the appointment. No fewer than sixty-five places are to be offered for competition this year. Replying the other day to a question put by Mr. Herbert Roberts, Lord George Hamilton explained that the number is settled quinquennially by reference to the unreformed posts ; but this settlement is liable to modification according to the actual state of the service. At present it is reported to be much depleted. I heard some time ago that Lord Elgin was giving his serious attention to the inconvenience of so many Civilians retiring immediately they are entitled to the maximum pension. It would be interesting to know what conclusion his Excellency has come to, and whether he recommends the adoption of measures to prevent India being deprived of the ripe experience of men still capable of rendering many years useful service to the country. The evil, I am told, is a growing one and it will have to be dealt with it sooner or later.

MORE WAR OFFICE TACT.

A Conservative member, Mr. Henry Kimber, is this afternoon asking the Under-Secretary for War, Mr. Brodrick, whether the War Office have issued an order to the effect that the green field service cap worn by the officers of the 1st Battalion Connaught Rangers (formerly the 88th Regiment), the only distinguishing mark of the regiment's nationality, is to be replaced by a blue pattern cap : Why, if the reason is that the officers would on service be conspicuous, the order is to be extended to the men : Whether he is aware that the issue of the order has created great discontent, and whether the War Office will take the subject into consideration with a view to withdrawing the order : And, whether any similar orders have been or are intended to be issued to Scotch regiments.

A VERY SERIOUS WELSH GRIEVANCE.

A question that Mr. Herbert Lewis has put upon the notice paper of the House of Commons reminds us that within a few hours' railway journey of London it is possible to meet with subjects of her Majesty who do not know a dozen words of the Queen's English. Not many years ago I was overtaken by a storm at a village in Anglesey (not *Anglesea* as most people describe it) and I sought shelter from the rain in a blacksmith's shop near the roadside. Two men were at work and I found neither could speak in English. One of them, however, fetched his wife from an adjacent cottage and she acted as interpreter. Many of the women in North Wales learn English I discovered by going into service in the adjoining English counties. To return to Mr. Lewis's question. The hon. member is concerned that postal communications, addressed to places in Wales by their Welsh names, e.g. Abermaw (Barmouth), Abertawe (Swansea), Caerdydd (Cardiff), Caergybi (Holyhead), sometimes miscarry because the postal authorities in England are only acquainted with the English names of such places : He suggests that where the Welsh name is different from the English both should be printed in the Post Office Guide. The suggestion is more reasonable than perhaps might have been expected. The hon. member might have asked that "the postal authorities in England" should be compelled to learn the alphabet as native Principality—a request that would not we may be sure have been received with much pleasure at St. Martin's le Grand.

AN INTERESTING DINNER PARTY.

At a dinner party given by Sir M. M. Bhownaggree, M.P., at the House of Commons on Monday night our distinguished Bombay visitors, His Highness Aga Khan and Sir Cowasjee Jehenghier had the pleasure of meeting Lord George Hamilton, M.P., and Mr. G. N. Curzon, M. P. The other guests included Major-General Sir Owen Tudor Burne, Sir George Birdwood, Mr. J. Parker Smith, M.P., (brother of the Viceroy's Private Secretary) and Mr. B. Cohen, M.P.

LITERATURE.

Mr. Fisher Unwin's interesting "Masters of Medicine Series" has received a welcome addition in Mr. Timothy Holmes's life of the celebrated Sir Benjamin Brodie who is remembered gratefully for the part he took in promoting the progress of surgery. Sir Benjamin was asked to assist in removing "a small sebaceous tumour" from the head of George IV, and included in Mr. Holmes's volume is an account of the death of that monarch which, it is believed, has not previously been published. It takes the form of a letter from Sir Wathan Waller to Sir Benjamin Brodie. The King was sitting in an armchair (he had not been in bed for many weeks) ordered the windows to be thrown open and asked for some sal volatile and water. This he tried several times to swallow, but could not. Sir Henry Halyard was immediately called. His Majesty then pressed the hand of Sir Wathan Waller and looking him full in the face exclaimed distinctly. "My boy this is death."

THE DEATH ROLL.

Sir Chaloner Alabaster, K. C. M. G., late British Consul, who accompanied Commissioner Yeh when he was sent as a prisoner to Calcutta after the capture of Canton in 1858 ; Major-General F. G. Pym, C. B. ; Major-General G. Fullerton-Carnegie, Bengal Staff Corps ; Surgeon-Major-General John Charles Morice ; Canon Henry Jeffreys who was a contemporary of Gladstone at Oxford ; Mr. R. R. Jackson whose house at Blackburn was sacked and burned by operatives during the great cotton riots of 1878 ; Mr. F. A. Bedwell, County Court Judge ; Mr. W. A. Sheriff, Judge at Demerara ; Captain John Charles Pitman, R. N., who as a midshipman was present at the Battle of Navarino, and who retired in 1864 after a distinguished career ; and Mr. Richard Dickins, formerly Assistant Secretary of the Financial Department, India Office.

THE BLACKMAILING CASE.

EVIDENCE OF NANABHOY ENGINEER.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, Mr. J Sanders-Slater, Chief Presidency Magistrate, resumed inquiry into the case in which Mr. Jijibhoy Framji Petit charges Clive Durant, Dadabhoy Dhunjibhoy Dadyseth, Cooverji Merwanji Mehta, A. Williams and Sorabji Rustomji Battliwalla with extortion. Mr. Davur, instructed by Mr. Owen, solicitor, appeared to prosecute ; the Hon'ble Mr. Mehta, instructed by Messrs. Roughton and Byrne, solicitors, defended the accused Dadyseth, Messrs. Brown and Alpaiwalla, solicitors, represented Cooverji Mehta, Mr. Jinnah defended A. Williams and Mr. F. S. Talyarkhan, instructed by Mr. Captain, solicitor, appeared for the last accused Battliwalla. Clive Durant conducted his own defence.

DURANT'S FURTHER OPINION.

Before the proceedings commenced the Hon'ble Mr. Mehta drew attention of the court that Durant's "opinion" seemed to form part of another document as the pages were numbered 2 and 3, and No. 1 was not forthcoming.

Mr. Davur applied for the production of the original of "opinion."

Durant said that his papers were in the prison and they might be sent for to enable him to cast a light on this document.

The Magistrate said he had no power to call for papers from the jail, and that Durant could put in documents in his own behalf when the time came.

The Hon'ble Mr. Mehta called for certain papers from the prosecution which, he said, were in connection with the "opinion."

They were produced by

can soldiery as preparing with grim, significant earnestness for the dire work which they know to be before them, toiling through heat and dust with cheerful willingness, sharpening weapons, cleaning rifles, discarding without objection from their officers their heavy uniforms, and preparing to fight in their trousers, or even without clothing, only girded with their cartridge belts. There is evidently a general expectation of desperate fighting when the assault on Santiago takes place. This is said to have been arranged for to-day, but circumstances will no doubt affect the date.

New York, June 28, Night.

A telegram from the camp at Sabanilla of yesterday's date announces that some Cuban scouts on Monday evening approached within two miles of Santiago. They found the water mains unguarded, and reported the fact to General Wheeler, whereupon engineers were sent out, and, guided by the Cubans, cut all the mains without encountering any opposition.

Only cistern, water, therefore, is now available at Santiago.

WARM WORK FOR THE AMERICANS.

Juragua, Later.

Owing to the intense heat, the American troops likely to fight the coming battle are almost divested of their clothing. Many of the men are already walking about almost naked, having found their uniforms, and, indeed, clothes of any description, insupportable, in the prevailing temperature. The officer overlook these conditions, knowing that their men will go further and fight better if, in the circumstances, discipline is not too severely enforced.

There is very little sickness among the troops. The movement to the front steadily continues. The American and Cuban infantry and cavalry, with long lines of mule pack trains and batteries, choke the roadways.

This morning Captain Pearsons Brigade moved to occupy a position on the extreme left towards Morro Castle. The troops landed from the auxiliary cruiser Yale have occupied the camp which the brigade evacuated.

SATISFACTION IN MADRID.

Madrid, June 28.

Notwithstanding the American bulletins of victories, modified though they are in certain admissions of discomfiture, the absolute conviction prevails here that the Americans have been severely repulsed in every encounter.

In the attack on Sevilla they had to fall back on Balguiri, their point of departure, where they are encamped under the protection of the guns of the fleet. It is officially declared to be false that several waggon loads of Spanish wounded have been sent back to Santiago. The troops of General Linares have almost always fought under cover, and their losses in various encounters are as follows:—A Captain and seven soldiers killed; two First Lieutenants and twelve soldiers wounded.

It is noted here with satisfaction that the Americans, after boasting that they would take Santiago in three days, now talk of impregnable fortifications, and say that they will require a long time to capture the city. It has been ascertained that the effectiveness of the American force has been perceptibly weakened by sickness and the sufferings entailed upon the troops.

ALARMING SITUATION IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Madrid, June 28.

The Spanish Government has received the following telegram, dated June 23d, from General Auguste, Commander at Manila :—

"The situation is as serious as ever.

"I am still maintaining my position within the line of blockhouses, but the enemy's numbers are increasing with every province which they occupy and which surrenders to them.

"Torrents of rain, which flood the trenches, make the work of defence difficult, and increasing sickness among the troops adds to this difficulty, and gives rise to much desertion among the native contingent.

"The insurgents are believed to number 30,000 men armed with rifles, and 100,000 armed with swords and knives.

"Aguinaldo summoned me to capitulate, but I treated his proposals with disdain, being resolved to support Spain's sovereignty with the honour of the flag to the very last.

"I have more than a thousand men on the sick list, and two hundred wounded.

"The space within the city lines is crowded by people who flock in from the rural districts, having left their homes because of the barbarous acts which rebels are committing.

"The presence of these people is embarrassing, and would aggravate matters in case of bombardment, which is, however, not to be seriously expected at the present moment."

SENSATIONAL SPANISH REPORTS.

Washington, June 30.

The following telegram from Kingston, Jamaica, is published here:—"The Spanish Consul has received a cablegram from Santiago de Cuba reporting that the United States cruiser Brooklyn has been struck by a Spanish shell and sunk, and that Commodore Schley and twenty-four men have been killed. The Spaniards here are jubilant over the news. It is also reported that an extensive mine has been laid which will blow up half the American army when it enters Santiago. The Consul attaches credence to both reports."

The report from Kingston, Jamaica, that the United States cruiser Brooklyn has been blown up is discredited in official circles. It is pointed out that Admiral Sampson would have reported the disaster if it had been a fact.

THE ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE.

THE Commander-in-Chief, the week the mail left, made his half-yearly inspection at the Royal Military College, Sandhurst. Lord Wolseley, who was accompanied by Major-Gen. Coleridge Grove, Military Secretary; Major-Gen. M. Protheroe, Assistant Military Secretary (for Indian affairs); Col. A. M. Delavoye, Director-General of Military Education; Col. R. E. Allan, Assistant Adjutant-General; and Capt. the Hon. T. F. Fremantle aide-de-camp, arrived at Camberley Station about ten o'clock, where he was met by the Governor and Commandant of the college, Lt.-Gen. Sir C. J. East. The weather was fine, and a large number of spectators assembled to witness the inspection. Among those present were: Gen. Sir Redvers Buller, V.C.; Gen. Sir John Watson, Major-Gen. A. Fitz Roy Hart, Lt.-Col. the Hon. J. Sy Napier, Col. Lonsdale Hale, Col. Burnett Hitchcock, Col. Goldie, and Lord and Lady Chesham. The cadets 278 strong, were formed up on the parade ground in front of the college. Lt.-Col. J. S. Thilon, assistant commandant, was in command. The Commander-in-Chief, who was received with the general salute, first made an inspection of the ranks. The battalion then marched past in column, returned again in quarter column, and deployed into line to allow the cavalry troops to march past. Under-Officer the Hon. C. W. Cavendish having assumed command of the cadets he put them through the manual and firing exercise. The bayonet exercises under the direction of Under-Officer L. F. G. S. Wylde were next carried out. The battalion having moved on the football ground, the assistant commandant put them through battalion drill, which was carried out most successfully.

The Governor, in presenting his report, said that during the last term the conduct of the cadets had been most satisfactory. The passing out of a large number of cadets at Easter was rather unfortunate as regards the usual steady amount of work, and, consequently, and their losses in various encounters are as follows:—A Captain and seven soldiers killed; two First Lieutenants and twelve soldiers wounded. Private E. Lawson, the Gordon Highlanders, was twice wounded and unable to move), out of a heavy fire, and subsequently returned and brought in Private McMillan, being himself wounded in two places. Her Majesty afterwards conferred the Order for Distinguished Service upon the following officers for operations on the North-West frontier of India, 1897:—Major Charles William Mouny Evans, Royal West Kent Regiment; Captain James Alyme Lowthrop Haldane, the Gordon Highlanders; Captain David Ramsay Sladen, the King's Own Scottish Borderers (slightly wounded); Lieutenant Francis Arthur Winter, Royal Artillery (twice severely wounded); Lieutenant John Robert Chancellor, Royal Engineers; Lieutenant Francis Aylmer Maxwell, Indian Staff Corps; Second Lieutenants Leonard Lane Wheatley, Indian Staff Corps: and Second Lieutenant William Weymouth van Someren, Indian Staff Corps.

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DARGAI HEROES AT WINDSOR.

THE sixtieth anniversary of the coronation of Queen Victoria was commemorated in London on June 28.

On June 25 the Queen conferred the Victoria Cross upon the following officer and private for acts of bravery as stated:—Lieutenant Thomas Dodough Watson, Royal Engineers, on Sept. 16, 1897, at the village of Bilot, in the Mamund Valley, collected a few men of the Buffs (East Kent Regiment) and of No. 4 Company Bengal Sappers and Miners, and led them into the burning village to dislodge some of the enemy who were inflicting loss on our troops. After being wounded and driven back he made a second attempt to clear the village, and only desisted after a second repulse and being again severely wounded. Private E. Lawson, the Gordon Highlanders, during the attack on the Dargai Heights, on Oct. 20, 1897, carried Lieutenant K. Dingwall, the Gordon Highlanders (who was wounded and unable to move), out of a heavy fire, and subsequently returned and brought in Private McMillan, being himself wounded in two places. Her Majesty afterwards conferred the Order for Distinguished Service upon the following officers for operations on the North-West frontier of India, 1897:—Major Charles William Mouny Evans, Royal West Kent Regiment; Captain James Alyme Lowthrop Haldane, the Gordon Highlanders; Captain David Ramsay Sladen, the King's Own Scottish Borderers (slightly wounded); Lieutenant Francis Arthur Winter, Royal Artillery (twice severely wounded); Lieutenant John Robert Chancellor, Royal Engineers; Lieutenant Francis Aylmer Maxwell, Indian Staff Corps; Second Lieutenants Leonard Lane Wheatley, Indian Staff Corps: and Second Lieutenant William Weymouth van Someren, Indian Staff Corps.

A NEW SERVICE BULLET.

A NEW service bullet, just adopted by the War Office, will be used for the first time in the Khartum expedition. Several million rounds are being sent out for the use of the infantry who are going out to Egypt. The reason assigned for the change in the service bullet is that the Lee-Metford, though it is more deadly at ten times the range of the old musket ball, does not disable an enemy as effectively as is considered desirable. The case is elongated and on hard flat soil soldiers have been known to go on firing after half-a-dozen Lee-Metford bullets have gone through them, whilst the bullet itself has passed through two or three men consecutively, shock being sacrificed for penitration. The Dum-Dum bullet, now also superseded, came into use for the purpose of stopping the rush of hordes of fanatics, as it had the advantage of spreading out and breaking up whenever it encountered resistance; but there has recently been some discussion in France as to the propriety of remonstrating with the British War Office on the ground that it is contrary to the convention made with other European Powers in 1868. The new service bullet is the same diameter (303), the same length (an inch and one-fifth), and the same weight (215 grains) as the Lee-Metford bullet, and fits all the service rifles and machine guns in use by the British Army. The case is of nickel, the base only being filled with lead. The conical end is left empty, and when it strikes the enemy bursts, opens backward, and lodges in the body, penetration being lessened and shock increased. The new bullet is spoken of as "the man-killing bullet," in contradistinction to the man-penetrating bullet. It is propelled with cordite, and has as much energy as the old Martini Henry bullet of 410 grains had with the

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THE WEEK'S MAIL SUMMARY.

LONDON, JULY 1.

THE most important item of the war news this week is the official announcement that the American Government have decided to attack the Spaniards at home—on the coasts of Spain. The Flying Squadron for this purpose, which is to be commanded by Commodore Watson, is being prepared with all possible speed. It will sail direct for European waters from Santiago de Cuba. Admiral Camara is now on his way to the Philippines with a relief squadron. On its arrival the American Admiral at Manilla may find himself in a very dangerous position.

From the seat of operations near Santiago the most significant piece of news is that the Americans have cut off the water-supply of the city. A party which approached within two miles of Santiago found the mains unguarded, whereupon General Wheeler ordered them to be cut. Santiago is thus reduced to cistern water. The American army is active in reconnoitring and bringing up war material for the attack on the city. The delay in the general forward movement is due to inability to bring up the commissariat rapidly enough. "The advance will not be made until every man has three days' rations in his knapsack," and this cannot be accomplished for two or three days. All accounts describe the Spaniards as amazingly inactive.

Lord Salisbury, speaking at the annual dinner of the United Club in London, deplored the Spanish-American war, and expressed the hope for a speedy peace. Apart from this great sorrow, the world looked smiling enough to us. That essence of good government, a respectable balance-sheet, was showing itself well in the hands of the Chancellor of the Exchequer. We had concluded an agreement in West Africa with a Power with whom we desired to live at peace. On the Eastern side of Africa we were about to engage, with good hope, in destroying the most hideous state of barbarism that a false religion could produce, and in thus rendering a great service to humanity. In the Far East the British policy was to maintain the Chinese Empire, to prevent it falling into ruin, to keep it in the path of reform, and to give it every assistance which we are able to give it to perfect its defences, and to increase its commercial prosperity.

Newcastle police forces were on Wednesday inspected by Sir Herbert Croft, Bart., Her Majesty's Inspector. On the question being asked if the force had any complaints to make, the whole body on parade indicated that they had, and representative man of the force presented a written statement complaining of the conduct of the Chief Constable towards them.

Walter Horsford, farmer, the St. Neots poisoner, was executed on Tuesday at the Cambridge County Prison. On Monday he handed to the Governor of the Prison a statement written by his own hand, confessing his guilt, and admitting the justice of his sentence.

A general stoppage of work is threatened in the Yorkshire coal trade, owing to several strikes which have taken places among pit lads and pony drivers who demand 10 per cent. advances. Already five thousand workers are idle.

The Rev. Dr. Story has been appointed Principal of the University of Glasgow, in room of Principal Caird, resigned. This appointment creates a vacancy in the Chair of Church History.

Accidents.—The inquest on a victim of the Blackwall launch disaster ended on Monday the jury censuring the Thames Iron-works Company for lack of judgment.—Fifteen miners were seriously injured by a cage accident at St. Helen's on the 27th.

An "Anti-Famine" Demonstration, to denounce the "cornering" of the national food supply and to express sympathy with the attitude of the Italian people during their recent bread riots, was held on Sunday afternoon in Trafalgar-square under the auspices of the Social Democratic Federation.

The Government having finally declined to contribute towards an Antarctic expedition, the Royal Geographical Society is raising a fund of £50,000 for the purpose.

Messrs. C. Hopkinson and Sons, bankers in Regent-street, have failed, with liabilities exceeding £200,000.

The Bishop of London and Archbishop of York, in letter and speech, have warned their clergy against unauthorized changes in Church services. We also report speeches by the Earl of Portsmouth and Dr. Guinness Rogers on the question of Ritualism. Sir W. Harcourt writes defending himself against a charge of insulting Roman Catholics, and Canon Gore sends instances of Low Church disregard of Church law.

In the House of Lords on the 23rd, after a protest against the Death Duties, Lord Hood criticized the armament of certain battleships. On the 24th the Poisons Bill was read a second time, and on the 27th there was some discussion on the Rochdale Water Bill.

—In the House of Commons on the 23rd the Poisons Bill passed through Committee. On the 24th the Welsh Coal Strike was discussed, sundry votes were agreed to in Committee, and Sir John Gorst's recent educational speech was attacked by Lord Hugh Cecil. On the 27th Mr. Balfour made a statement as to Redistribution, the Indian Loan Bill was passed, and the House authorized the Government to remit the loan granted last year to Egypt. On the 28th the Benefices Bill was read a third time, after speeches by Sir W. Harcourt and Mr. Balfour, and consideration of the Prisons Bill was proceeded with. The Evidence in Criminal Cases Bill was considered in Committee on the 29th.

In County Cricket, Leicestershire has been beaten by Yorkshire and Derbyshire, Somerset by Kent and Surrey, Hampshire by Essex, Gloucestershire by Middlesex by Lancashire, and Kent by Nottingham. Several matches were spoiled by rain last week.—Oxford beat Cambridge at the athletic meeting on the 29th by seven events to two.

France and Italy are pressing for a settlement of their claims against the Porte.—The Sultan has promised compliance with terms demanded by the Prince of Montenegro in consequence of the recent frontier disturbances.

OBITUARY.—Major-General F. G. Prym, Surgeon-Major-General J. C. Morice, Major-General R. G. Woodthorpe, Major-General G. Fullerton-Carnegie, Colonel R. R. Jackson, and Major C. W. Young; Sir Chaloner Alcbastar; the Hon. W. A. M. Sheriff; Dan O'Regan; Judge F. A. Badwell; the Dowager Lady Abercromby.

CRICKET IN ENGLAND.

At Leicester, on June 24, Yorkshire defeated Leicestershire by an innings and 261 runs :—

YORKSHIRE.

J T Brown, b Coe	17	Binns, b Woodcock	4
Tunnicliffe, b King	57	Lord Hawke, c Geeson, b King	4
M F S Jackson, l b w, b King	147	Haigh, c Wood, b Fougher	13
Denton, c Fougher, b Coe	99	Rhodes, not out	4
Wainwright, c King, b Woodcock	6	Byes, 8, l b, 3	11
Moorhouse, c Whiteside, b Woodcock	19	Total	449
Mr F W Milligan, b Whiteside, b Fougher	38		

LEICESTERSHIRE.

Mr C J B Wood, c Milligan, b Jackson	1	l b w, b Wainwright	3
Knight, c Brown, b Rhodes	11	a sub, b Wainwright	10
Brown, st Binns, b Rhodes	13	b Haigh	13
King, c and b Jackson	5	b Rhodes	30
Fougher, b Rhodes	5	b Jackson	21
Coe, c and b Jackson	9	c Denton, b Jackson	12
Mr C E de Trafford, c Jackson, b Rhodes	6	c and b Rhodes	17
Coulin, not out	0	not out	2
Geeson, st Binns, b Rhodes	0	c and b Rhodes	0
Woodcock, b Jackson	1	c Milligan, b Jackson	0
Whiteside, b Jackson	0	b Rhodes	0
Byes, 3, l-b, 1	4	Byes, 12, l b, 1	13
Total	57	Total	126

At the Oval, on June 25, the match, Surrey v Middlesex, was left drawn, through rain :—

SURREY.

Abel, b Webb	53	Mr K J Key, c MacGregor, b Hearne	6
Brockwell, st MacGregor, b Stoddart	35	Hayes, not out	25
Hollaud, b Webb	57	Wood, c Ford, b Hearne	41
Lockwood, b Rawlin	30	Richardson, c Stoddart, b Hearne	16
Haywood, b Foley, b Webb	42	Byes 11, l b 5	16
Mr V F S Crawford, c MacGregor, b Trott	6	Total	488
Baldwin, b Webb	41		

MIDDLESEX.

Mr H B Hayman, c Wood, b Hayes	13	Mr G MacGregor, retired hurt	3
Mr P F Warner, b Lockwood	45	Trott, c Key, b Lockwood	45
Mr A Stoddart, b Lockwood	36	Mr R Nicholls, b Richardson	0
Mr A J Webb, c Hollaud, b Lockwood	0	Hearne, not out	11
Mr F G J Ford, c and b Brockwell	40	Webb, not out	0
Mr H Foley, c and b Lockwood	2	Byes, 2, l b, 2, n b, 2	6
Rawlin, c Hayes, b Brockwell	8	Total	209

Second Innings—Mr H B Hayman, not out, 12, Mr P F Warner, c Abel, b Blockwell, 43—total, 60.

—At Tonbridge, on June 25, Kent defeated Somerset by seven wickets :—

SURREY.

Mr H T Stanley, b Bradley	23	b Hearne	20
"F T Court" c and b Bradley	1	c Huish, b Hearne	0
Nicholas, St Huish, b Wright	1	b Hearne	5
Mr J T Daniell, c Mason, b Wright	9	b Hearne	1
Robson, b Bradley	4	c Huish, b Bradley	27
Mr S M J Woods, c Huish, b Bradley	88	b Bradley	0
Mr G Fowler, not out	83	b Hearne	0
Gill, c Wright, b Bradley	0	not out	0
Tyler, b Bradley	6	c Welgall, b Mason	26
Rev A P Wickham, c Mason, b Wright	14	Byes 5, l-b 2	7
Mr L C Palairet, absent, ill	0	Total	102
Byes, 1, l-b 1	2		
Total	235		

KENT.

Mr J R Mason, b Woods	6	Martin, not out	17
Alec Hearne, b Robson	112	Wright, c Nichols, b Robson	9
Mr W H Patterson, c Tyler	111	Mr W M Bradley, b Robson	0
Rev W Rashleigh, c Woods, b Robson	14	Byes	11
Easby, c Nicholas, b Tyler	14	Total, 9 wkts declared	306
Mr L J Le Fleming, c and b Tyler	1	Huish did not bat	
Mr G J V Weigall, b Robson	1		

Second Innings—Mr J R Mason, c Palairet, b Gill 22, Alec Hearne, not out 12, Mr W H Patterson, not out 2, Rev W Rashleigh, b Woods 2, Easby, b Woods 4, l-b 1, n-b 2, total three wickets 45

—At Southampton, on June 25, Essex defeated Hampshire by 125 runs :—

ESSEX.

Mr H G Owen, c Wynyard, b Steele	12	Mr C J Kortright, c Steele, b	5
Carpenter, c Poore, b Tate	19	Russell, c Robson, b Hill	20
Mr P Perrin, b Stoddart	65	Rev F H Bennett, not out	0
Mr C McGahey, c Poore, b Hewlitte	57	Mr F G Bull, st Robson, b Andrew	16
Mr A H Lucas, c Steele, b Hill	27	Young, not out	4
Mr J W Bonner, c Wynyard, b Hill	12	Byes, 6, l-b 9, n b, 2, n-b 1	18
		Total	253

Second Innings—Mr H G Owen, b Steele 63, Carpenter, b Steele 8, Mr P Perrin, Wynyard, b Andrew 11, Mr C McGahey, not out 22, Mr J W Bonner, not out 0, wides 3, total three wickets, declared 107

HAMPSHIRE

Captain Wynyard, c Kortright, b Bull	16	b Mead	7
Major Poore, c Young, b Bull	5	l b w, b Mead	12
Barton, c Bull, b Young	16	b Carpenter, b Mead	7
Webb, b Bull	8	b Kortright	32
Mr A Hill, not out	2	c Carpenter, b Mead	0
Colonel Spens, b Bull	7	l b w, b Kortright	2
Mr D A Steele, l b w, b Mead	1	b Kortright	0
Mr C Hewlitte, b Mead	0	c Russell, b Kortright	12
Mr W Andrew, b Mead	0	not out	8
Mr C Robson, b Bull	5	b Kortright	0
Tate, b Mead	0	Byes 14, l-b 3	16
Byes 4, l-b 3	7	Total	109
Total	133		

At Derby, on June 28, Derbyshire defeated Leicestershire by an innings and 31 runs :—

DERBYSHIRE.

Mr L G Wright, b Woodcock	4	G Davidson, c Whiteside, b Woodcock	8
Mr S H Evershed, c Jacques, b King	66	W Sugg, not out	42
Bagshaw, c Geeson, b Fougher	32	J Wright, b Geeson	2
Storer, c Brown, b Fougher	9	Davison, run out	0
Chatterton, c Joyce, b Fougher	6	Bestwick, b Fougher	0
Storer, c Brown, b Fougher	0	Hancock, b Fougher	6
		Byes 2, l b 4, w l, n b 2	9
		Total	214

LEICESTERSHIRE.

Knight, c Chatterton, b F Davison	7	c Storer, b F Davidson	19
Mr C J B Wood, c Storer, b F Davison	12	c F Davidson, b G Davidson	24
Brown, c L G Wright, b F Davison	6	c F Davidson, b G Davidson	1
King, b G Davidson	14	c L G Wright, b G Davidson	1
Mr R Joyce, c Sugg, b G Davidson	3	c F Davidson, b G Davidson	4
Fougher, b F Davidson	0	c and b F Davidson	1
Coe, c Storer, b G Davidson	6	not out	6
Mr C E de Trafford, b F Davidson	13	c Sugg, b Hancock	39
Geeson, not out	0	c Bestwick, b Davison	0
Woodcock, b F Davidson	0	c and b F Davidson	5
Whiteside, b G Davidson	1	c and b G Davidson	0
Byes 5, l b 2, n b 2	9	Byes 5, l b 2	7
Total	71	Total	112

At the Oval, on June 29, Surrey defeated Somerset by nine wickets :—

SURREY.

Abel, b Fowler	81	Mr K J Key, run out	32
Brockwell, c L Palairet, b Woods	29	Hayes, c Court, b Robson	5
Holland, c Woods, b Tyler	45	Wood, c Gill, b Fowler	22
Baldwin, c Newton, b Fowler	33	Smith, b Woods	18
Richardson, b Woods	25	Hayward, c L Palairet, b Gill	36
		Byes 8, l b 1	9
		Total	315

Second Innings—Abel, not out, 61, Brockwell, c Newton, b Robson, 33, Holland, not out, 55, l b 1—total 153.

SOMERSET.

Mr L C H Palairet, b Richardson	23	c Abel, b Hayward	112
Mr H T Stanley, c Wood, b Richardson	16	c Wood, b Richardson	43
Mr R C N Palairet, c Brockwell, b Richardson	7	c Baldwin, b Hayward	5
Mr G Fowler, b Richardson	1	b Richardson	5
Mr F T Court, c Brockwell, b Smith	23	c Wood, b Richardson	5
Mr S M J Woods, b Richardson	18	c and b Hayward	69
Mr J Daniell, l b w, b Smith	2	not out	1
Robson, st Wood, b Smith	0	b Richardson	0
Mr A E Newton, not out	0	b Hayward	3
Tyler, c Wood, b Richardson	33	b Richardson	8
Gill, b Richardson	0	st Wood, b Brockwell	21
Byes 1, l b 3	4	Byes 7, l b 6, n b 9	19
Total	140	Total	327

At Manchester, on June 29, Lancashire defeated Middlesex by forty-four runs :—

LANCASHIRE.

A Ward, c Ford, b Hearne	53	b Hearne	7
A Ward, c Ford, b Hearne	9	b Webb	21
Tyldesley, c and b Hearne	0	b Hearne	2
Baker, c and b Hearne	29	b Hearne	15
Mr W H Stoddart, b Hearne	16	b Hearne	4
F H Sugg, c Hayman, b Rawlin	0	b Hearne	21
Mr S M Tindall, c Hayman, b Hearne	4	b Hearne	7
Lancaster, b Hearne	5	l b w, b Hearne	2
Briggs, not out	0	not out	15
Taylor, b Hearne	0	c Ford, b Trott	8
Radcliffe, b Hearne	0	c Rawlins, b Hearne	8
Byes	11	Byes 20, l b 7	27
Total	128	Total	113

MIDDLESEX.

Mr H B Hayman, b Briggs	9	st Radcliffe, b Stoddart	33
Mr P F Warner, b Briggs	19	st Radcliffe, b Stoddart	31
Mr A E Stoddart, st Radcliffe, b Briggs	36	b Lancaster	19
Rawlin, b Briggs	0	b Baker	2
Mr F G J Ford, b Briggs	22	c Baker, b Lancaster	35
A E Trott, c Ward, b Briggs	0	st Radcliffe, b Lancaster	2
Mr A J Webb, b Lancaster	1	b Lancaster	27
Mr G P Foley, not out	24	not out	23
J T Hearne, c Radcliffe, b Briggs	0	b Lancaster	0
S Webb, st Radcliffe, b Briggs	0	st Radcliffe, b Lancaster	0
Mr G M Gregor, c Tyldesley, b Taylor	23	l b w, b Lancaster	0
Byes	9	Byes 7, l b 3, w l	11
Total	147	Total	180

At Bradford, on June 23, Yorkshire defeated Essex by an innings and 38 runs :—

ESSEX.

Mr H G Owen, c Hirst, b Rhodes	17	b Jackson	4
Carpenter, b Rhodes	0	b Jackson	2
Mr P Perrin, b Wainwright	0	c Hirst, b Rhodes	14
Mr C McGahey, b Rhodes	5	b Wainwright	0
Mr A J Turner, c Hirst, b Jackson	14	b Milligan	7
Mr A F Lucas, b Rhodes	4	c Bairstow, b Jackson	49
Mr C J Kortridge, c Jackson, b Rhodes	7	c Moorhouse, b Rhodes	1
Russell, c Denton, b Jackson	1	c Jackson, b Rhodes	27
Mead, c Moorhouse, b Jackson	9	not out	28
Mr F G Bull, c Binns, b Rhodes	1	b w, b Rhodes	0
Young, not out	1	c Moorhouse, b Rhodes	5
		Byes 16, l b 5	21
Total	64	Total	176

YORKSHIRE.

J T Brown, st Russell, b Bull	42	Moorhouse, l b w, b Mead	1
Tunnicliffe, b Bull	29	Haigh, c and b Mead	19
Mr F S Jackson, b Bull	33	Rhodes, not out	20
Denton, c McGahey, b Bull	46	Barraclow, b Mead	0
Wainwright, b Bull	0	Byes 9, l b 4, w 3	16
Hirst, st Russell, b Mead	9	Total	278
Mr F W Milligan, b Bull	5		

At Trent Bridge, on June 29, Nottinghamshire defeated Kent by seven wickets :—

KENT.

Mr J R Mason, c Attewell, b Wass	1	c Anthony, b Attowell	1
Alec Hearne, b Wass	0	b Attewell	117
Mr W H Patterson, c Gates, b Wass	19	c Oates, b Wass	0
Rev W Rashleigh, c Dixon, b Wass	74	b J Gunn	14
Easby, c Gunn, b Attewell	0	b Wass	0
Mr G J V Weigall, b Henson	5	b Anthony	28
Mr F Marchant, c Dixon, b Wass	10	c Oates, b Attewell	28
Martin, c J Gunn, b Attewell	0	c and b Attewell	1
Wright, c Henson, b Attewell	14	b Wass	12
Mr E A Wilson, c Dixon, b Attewell	1	b Attewell	8
Relph, not out	5	not out	0
Byes 3, l b 1	4	Byes 13, l b 4, n b 1	18
Total	138	Total	227

NOTTS.

Shrewsbury, b Mason	7	J Gunn, b Hearne	4
Mr A O Jones, run out	60	Oates, not out	6
W Gunn, l b w, b Martin	73	Henson, c Mason, b Hearne	0
Mr J A Dixon, c Willson, b Martin	17	Wass, b Mason	1
Dench, b Hearne	11	Leg-bye	1
Attewell, c and b Martin	4	Total	143
Anthony, b Mason	12		

Second Innings.—Shrewsbury c Patterson b Mason 61, Mr A O Jones c Hearne b Willson 69, W Gunn c Huish b Wright 14, Mr J A Dixon not out 30, Attewell not out 34, byes 14, w 1, total (3 wickets) 223.

At Lord's on June 25, MCC and Ground defeated Cambridge University by an innings and 13 runs :—

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY.

Mr G J Burnup, c Davidson b Roche	4	c Mordaunt, b Davidson	32
Mr A T Coode, c Davidson, b Roche	24	c Bray, b Attewell	21
Mr C R Worthington, b Roche	1	c Mordaunt, b Attewell	1
Mr T L Taylor, b Roche	0	c and b Attewell	10
Mr G L Jessop, b Roche	47	l b w, b Attewell	10
Mr J H Stogdon, b Roche	5	b Attewell	1
Mr G E Winter, c Mitchell, b Davidson	6	c Crawley, b Davidson	18
Mr G E M Wilson, b Attewell	21	b Penn	14
Mr H W De Zoete, not out	18	c and b Attewell	3
Mr A E Hind, b Roche	2	c Mordaunt, b Roche	2
Mr H H B Hawkins, b Roche	2	not out	15
Byes 8, l b 3	12	Byes 22, l b 1	23
Total	142	Total	170

M. C. C.

Mr C W Wright, c Taylor b De Zoete	77	Davidson	27
Mr F N Mitchell, c Stogdon, b Burnup	161	Mr G J Mordaunt, not out	41
Chatterton, b Jessop	7	Byes 2, w 2, n b 1	5
W Abel	0	Total (declared)	325
Mr A Eccles, c Lewis, b Handford	6	Mr H B Chinnery	0
Mr R E Foster, c Grace, b Handford	28	Mr A S Crawley	0
Mr G E Bromley-Martin, c and b Overton	18	Mr E F Penn and Roche did not bat.	
Mr F H B Champain, c Mordaunt, b Handford	22	At Brighton on June 25 the match Sussex vs Oxford University was left drawn :—	

SUSSEX.

Marlow, b Bosanquet	12	Parris, c and b Stocks	77
Mr G Brann, c Foster, b Cunliffe	39	Mr J C Hartley, c Foster, b Stocks	4
Mr W L Murdoch, b Bosanquet	15	Cox, not out	9
Mr C Oakley, b Rhodes	5	Butt, b Cunliffe	2
Mr A J Turner, c Hirst, b Jackson	14	Bland, c Foster, b Cunliffe	19
Mr A F Lucas, b Rhodes	4	Byes 17, l b 1, w 1, n b 5	24
Mr C J Kortridge, c Jackson, b Rhodes	7	Total	301
Russell, c Denton, b Jackson	1		
Mead, c Moorhouse, b Jackson	9		
Mr F G Bull, c Binns, b Rhodes	1		
Young, not out	1		
Total	64		

Second Innings—Marlow, c Foster, b Stocks, 2, Mr W L Murdoch, not out, 29, Mr C B Fry, b Cunliffe, 2, Mr W Newham, b Stocks, 33, Mr L de Montezuma, not out, 39, byes, 1, l b, 1, n b, 4—6, total three wickets, declared, 111

OXFORD UNIVERSITY.

Mr F L Fane, c Montezuma, b Bland	35	Mr E C Lee, not out	66
Mr B D Bannon, c Fry b Marlow	15	Mr H F Morres, c Fry, b Cox	23
Mr F H E Cunliffe, b Bland	53	Mr B J T Bosanquet, b Bland	1
Mr F W Stocks, c sub, b Bland	0	Mr R W Fox, b Cox	2
Mr R E Foster, c Brann, b Bland	4	Byes, 3, l b, 3, w, 1, n b, 2	9
Mr G E Browning-Martin, b Bland	0	Total	221

Second Innings—Mr F L Fane, b Bland, 0, Mr B D Bannon, b Bland,

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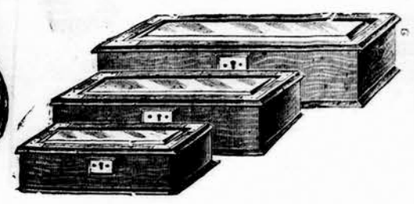

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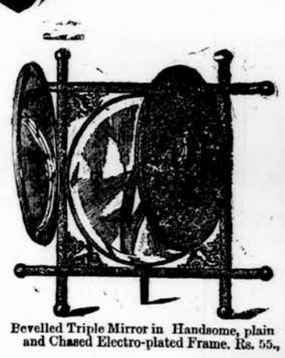

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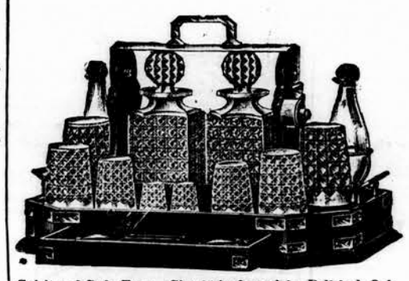

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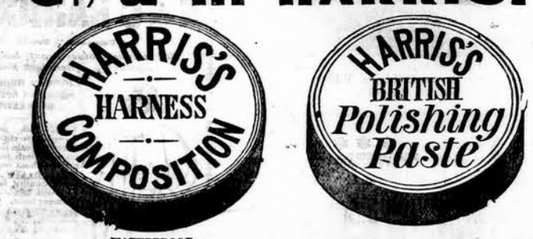

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